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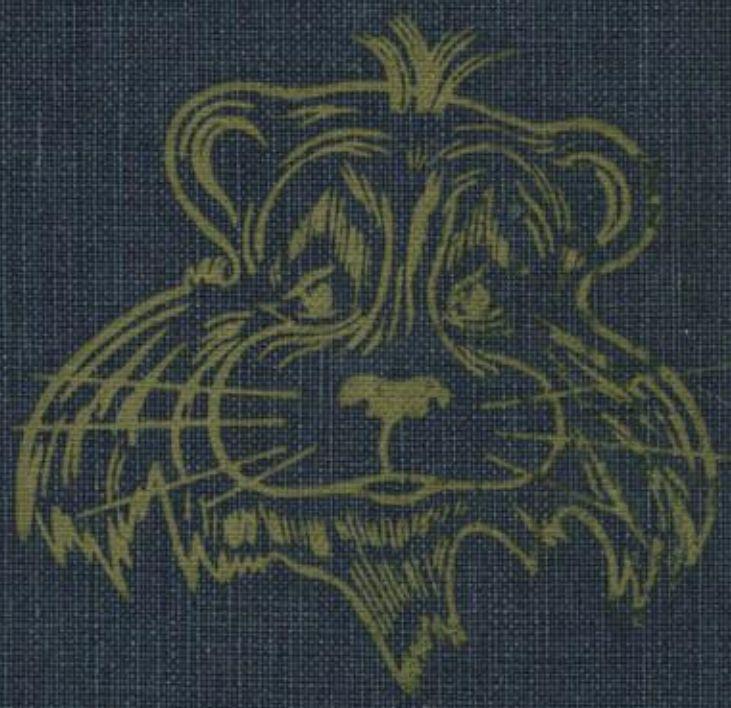

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John D. Bassett High School

Bassett, Virginia

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Editor . . . Lucy Ann Scoggin

Happiness Is . . .

Happiness comes of the capacity to feel deeply, to enjoy simply, to think freely, to risk life, to be needed.

--Storm Jameson

In each phase of school life at Bassett High, we find happiness in many forms. Our teachers find happiness in enlightening us with knowledge. Likewise, we students find a form of happiness through seeking to learn. We find happiness in belonging to clubs and in giving our services to better their organization. There is happiness in bringing honor and pride to ourselves and to our school. We are happy to participate in sports and in other outside activities. Finally, we find happiness in the progress of our community.

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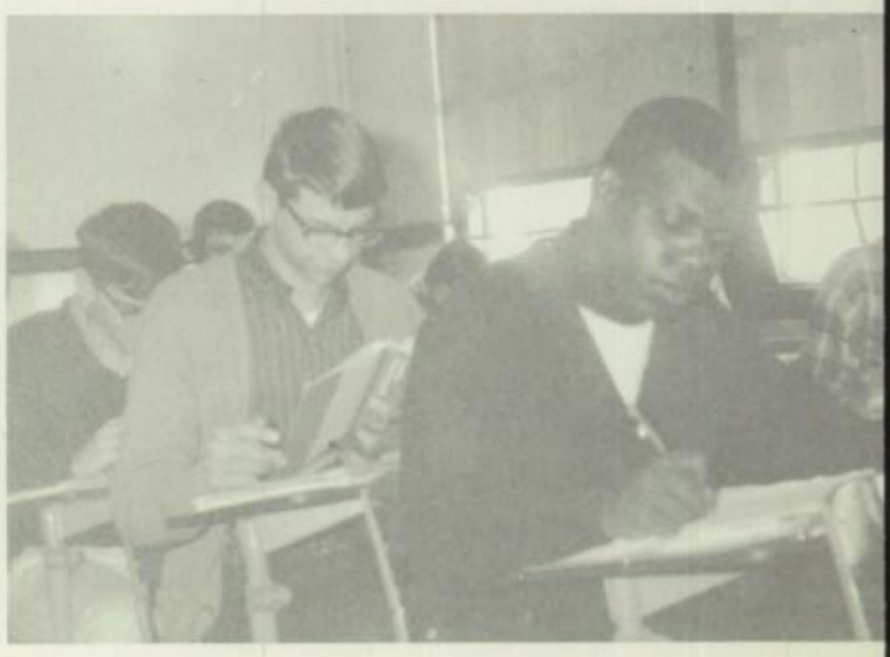
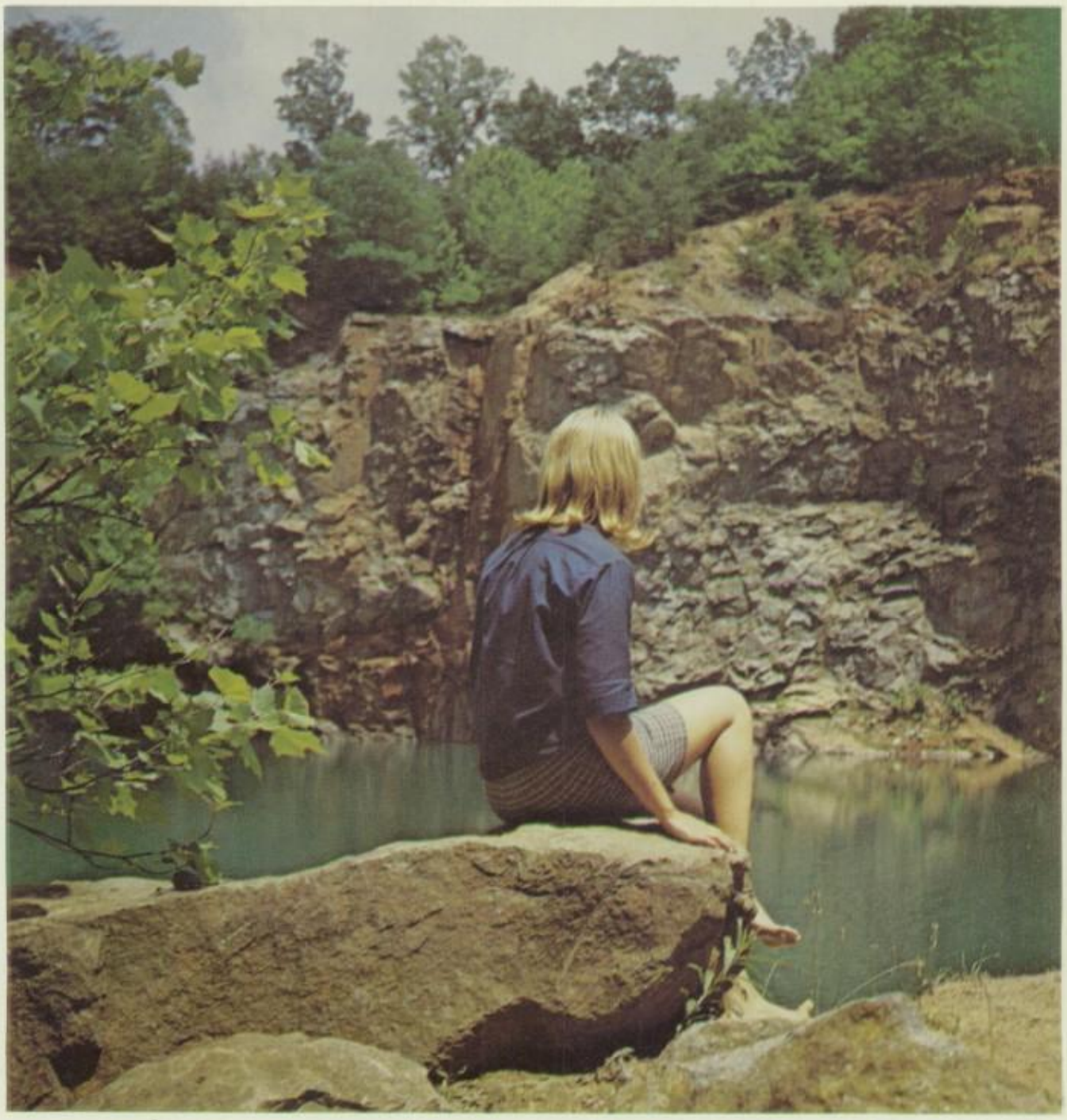
Confidence is built through the understanding and trust of good student-teacher relations.

School Year Begins, Leaving



Students settle down for a year of study.



Quietness is a welcome break in the busy life of a B.H.S. student.

Behind Summer Memories

Fairystone Park is a favorite summer spot for seeing many familiar faces.

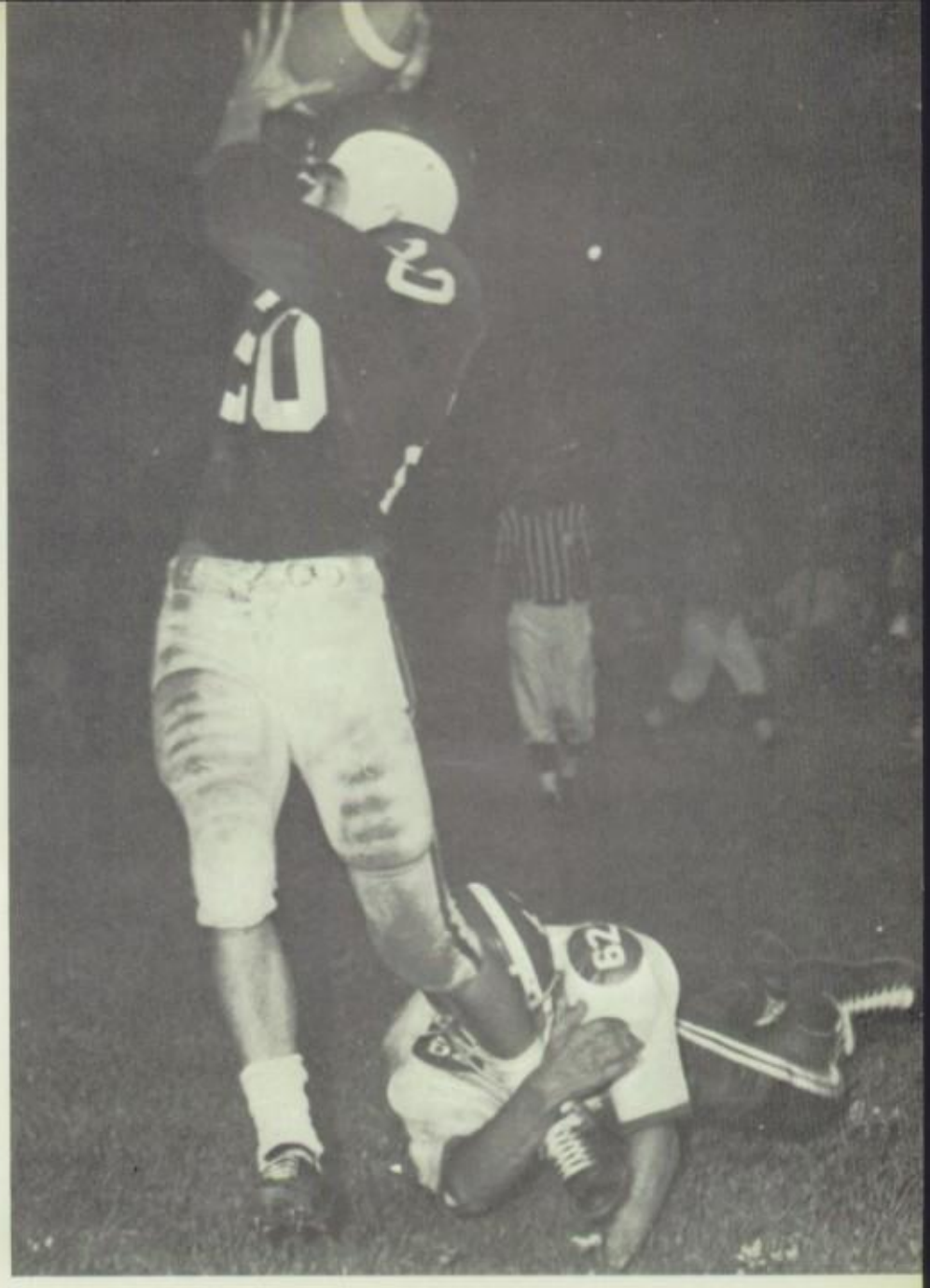
Achievement Brings First Glimpse

The Bassett Band is an important part of school functions including parades and ball games.

Drum Major, Morgan Armstrong, adds color and style to the band's talents.

Of Happiness

Football brings the year's first excitement and togetherness.



Students gather to display their spirit in support of the team.

Track is still another pride-filled activity.

Beauty And Recreation Add

From the rolling of the Virginia hills to the shimmering of the sky-blue water, Henry County holds beauty for its people. The towering spectacle at Philpott, enthroning its forest domain, is a symbol of happiness. Throughout the year it serves as a haven. People from many states visit Philpott, but we at Bassett feel pride in knowing it belongs to us.

Whenever B.H.S. students gather, they can find common interests. Philpott is the summer retreat for all Bassett skiers. When school begins, they gather at games and parties. Being with friends is the common desire.

From the eighth grader's hope to the senior's experience, B.H.S. is united. The tie which binds the students is the pride in their own accomplishments, as well as the hope for combined success in school achievements.

The students of B.H.S. add to the wealth of Henry County. They hold beauty.

To Pride In B.H.S.

As Christmas draws near, B.H.S. gets into the spirit by trimming the traditional tree.

Winter Months Provide

Christmas also calls for a visit from old Saint Nick himself. David Lawless brought back many fond memories of years past in his portrayal of the jolly elf.

When the winter snows come, B.H.S. students head for the "great outdoors". Retta and Sonny paint a perfect picture of the typical reaction to Bassett's snow.

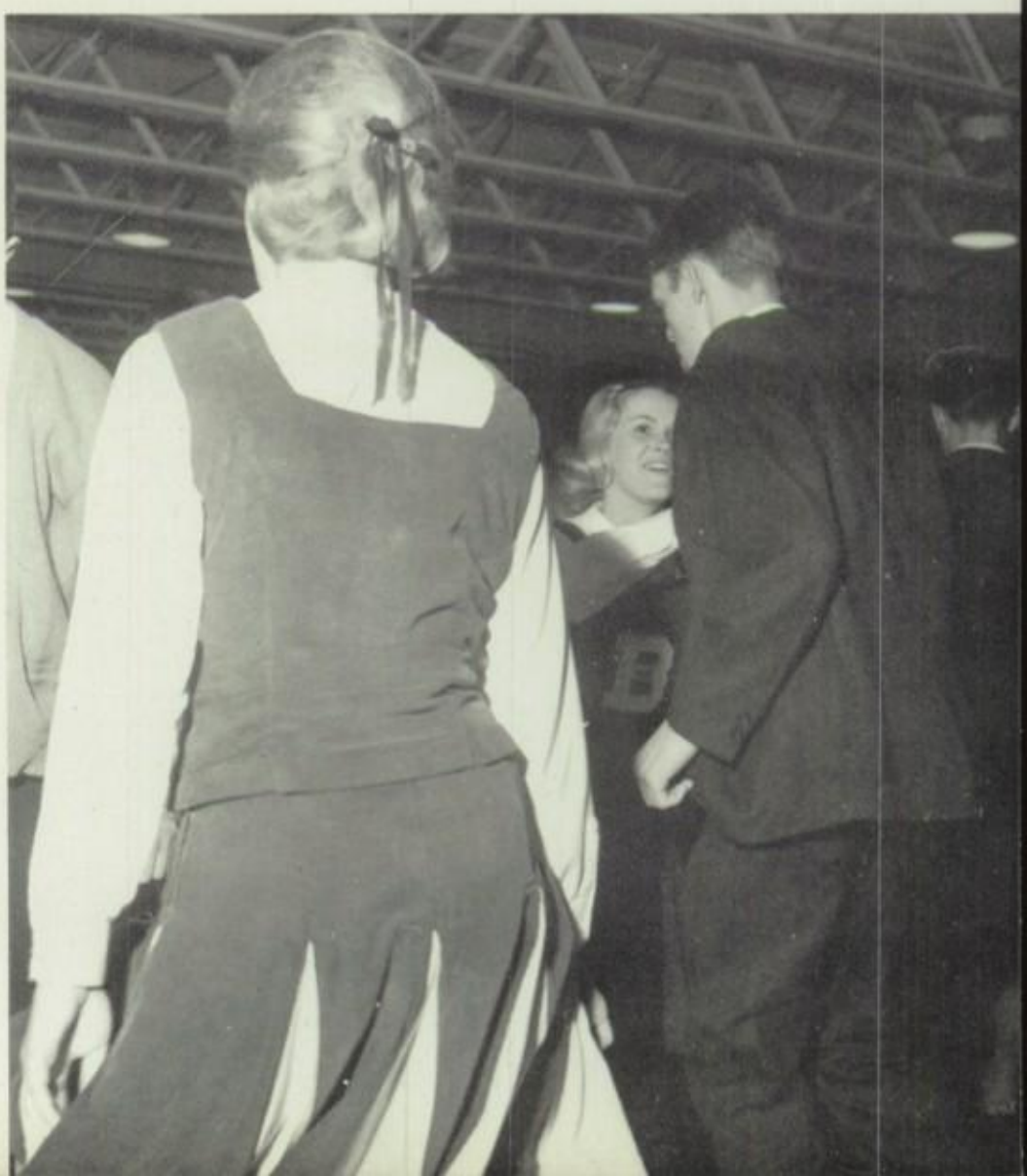
For Happy Activities

Students gather after school to wait for buses. Around exam time arms are always loaded down with books. The snow is still there, but there's no time for play.

Serenity fills the ballroom--awaiting the night to come.

Happiness At B.H.S.

Throughout the year students attend school functions. Among the most popular are the parties after the games. They provide a time for fun and togetherness.

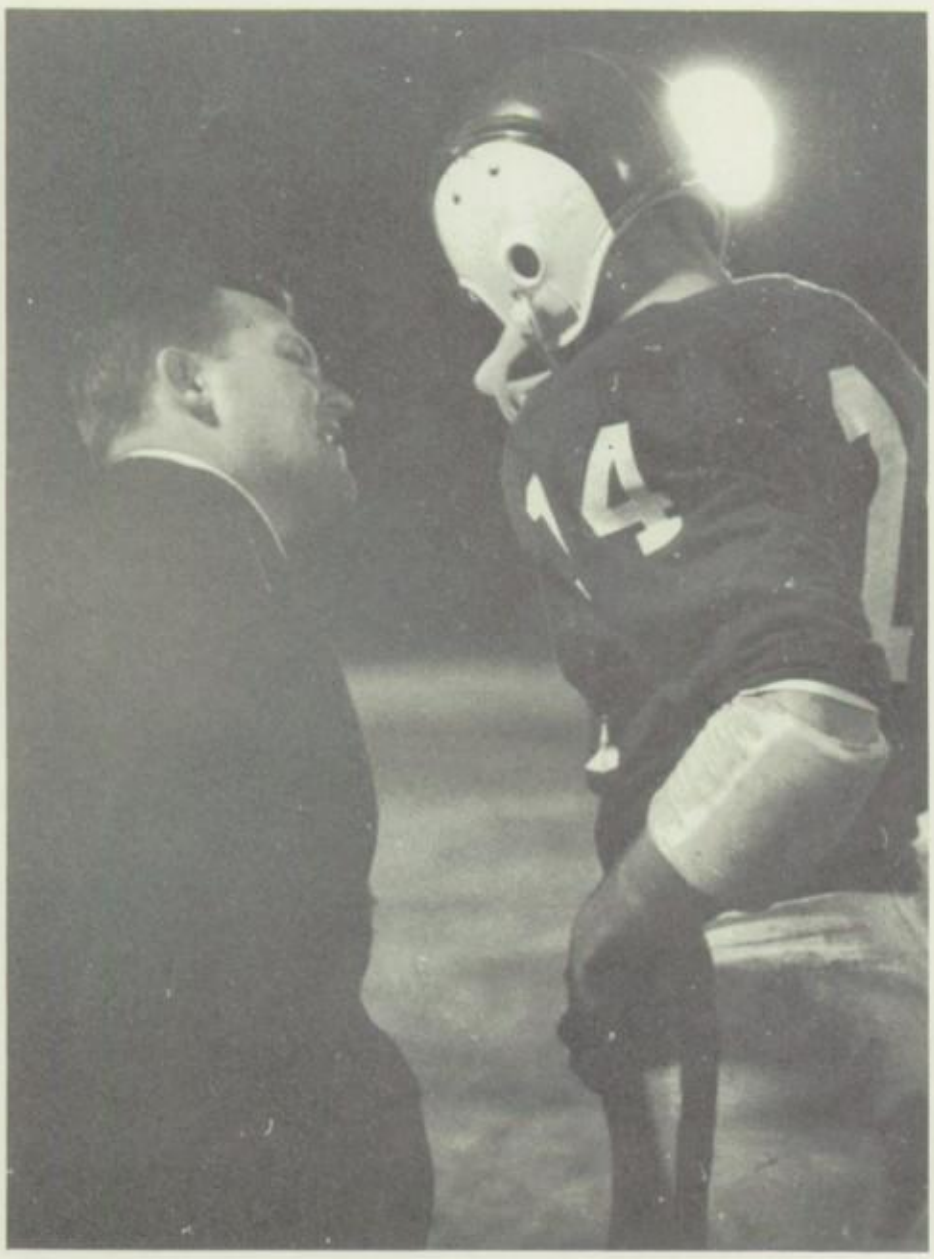


Will Never Be Forgotten

The big moment finally arrives. All they have built toward in the past five years has reached its climax in the lives of the Seniors. They are ready to meet the wide, wide world, leaving B.H.S. behind to those who follow them. They will cherish this golden moment of graduation forever.

We Dedicate . . .

Mr. Micklem and family pose for family portrait.



It is difficult to place into a few words all that Coach Micklem has meant to us for the past five years. His big smile and quick wit have brightened our days at B.H.S. His never-ending encouragement as coach and fan has stimulated spirit in students and teams. He has given his time and his talent to all of us. He plays a big part in the happy memories we carry with us. As coach, teacher, and friend, he will always hold a place in the heart of Bassett High. It is with love and gratitude that we Seniors dedicate the 1966 Timber Tints to Mr. Colbert F. Micklem.

In his job as coach, Mr. Micklem discusses game strategy with quaterback Cassady.

Happiness Is Enlightening

The only way on earth to multiply happiness is to divide it.

Paul Scherer

Branch K. Rives
Superintendent of
Henry County Schools

A. F. Waleski
Principal

Administration

Henry County School Board--Paul Richardson, J. N. Holland, H. D. Whittle, R. L. Taylor, T. B. Stanley, Jr., and George Burpeau.

The tremendous job of running the schools is carried out by Henry County's efficient School Board. Cooperating with our own school officials, they have strived to increase the volume and quality of our education.

Mr. Waleski's able leadership has served to knit our parents, students, and teachers closer together. Assisted by Mr. C. D. and G. D. Joyce, he supervises all school work and activities.

Our hard-working secretaries do countless jobs every day. They keep the office in order, take care of all paper work, and assist the students in many ways.

We owe so very much to our administrative staff.

C. D. Joyce
Assistant Principal

G. D. Joyce
Assistant Principal

Doris T. Bishop
Secretary

Teachers find helpful information in the office.

Kay Micklem
Secretary

Guidance And Library

Beatrice T. Goodman
Roanoke College

Betty Barnes Pigg
Mary Baldwin College

The guidance department consists of three counselors whose goals are to aid teachers in working with pupils and to aid students to get a better understanding of themselves and develop potential to use wisely the educational and vocational opportunities available to them. Coach Wayne Turner also assists in this department.

The guidance counselors administer standard tests, aid students in registration for classes, help seniors in their choice of college or other post-graduate schooling and their careers.

Guidance counselors aid students in planning future classes.

Faith F. Bryant
Madison College

Mrs. Bryant, our librarian, spends her entire day in the library, helping students with research and other library needs.

Cafeteria Staff

The cafeteria staff consists of Evelyn Wray, Pearly Moore, Nannie Burnette, Lucy Dalton, Laura Stone, Vera Craig, and Louise Ward (not pictured). In their daily routine, they prepare meals for some seven hundred students. Mrs. Craig serves as our dietician, selecting foods and overseeing their preparation. Lunch period, the most popular time of day, is certainly made more pleas- by Mrs. Craig and her staff.

Janitor and Maid

Richard Murphy

Richard Murphy, our able janitor, works from morn till night to keep Bassett High School clean and neat. Students are well acquainted with the sight of Richard pushing his broom through the halls. Whenever a handy man is needed, he is always around to give us his help. Evelyn Belcher keeps busy in her duty as maid. We owe many thanks to these two who work so hard for us.

Evelyn Belcher

Industrial Arts

Arlen C. Doss, B.S.
Virginia Polytechnic Institute

Charles R. Farris, B.S.
East Tennessee State College

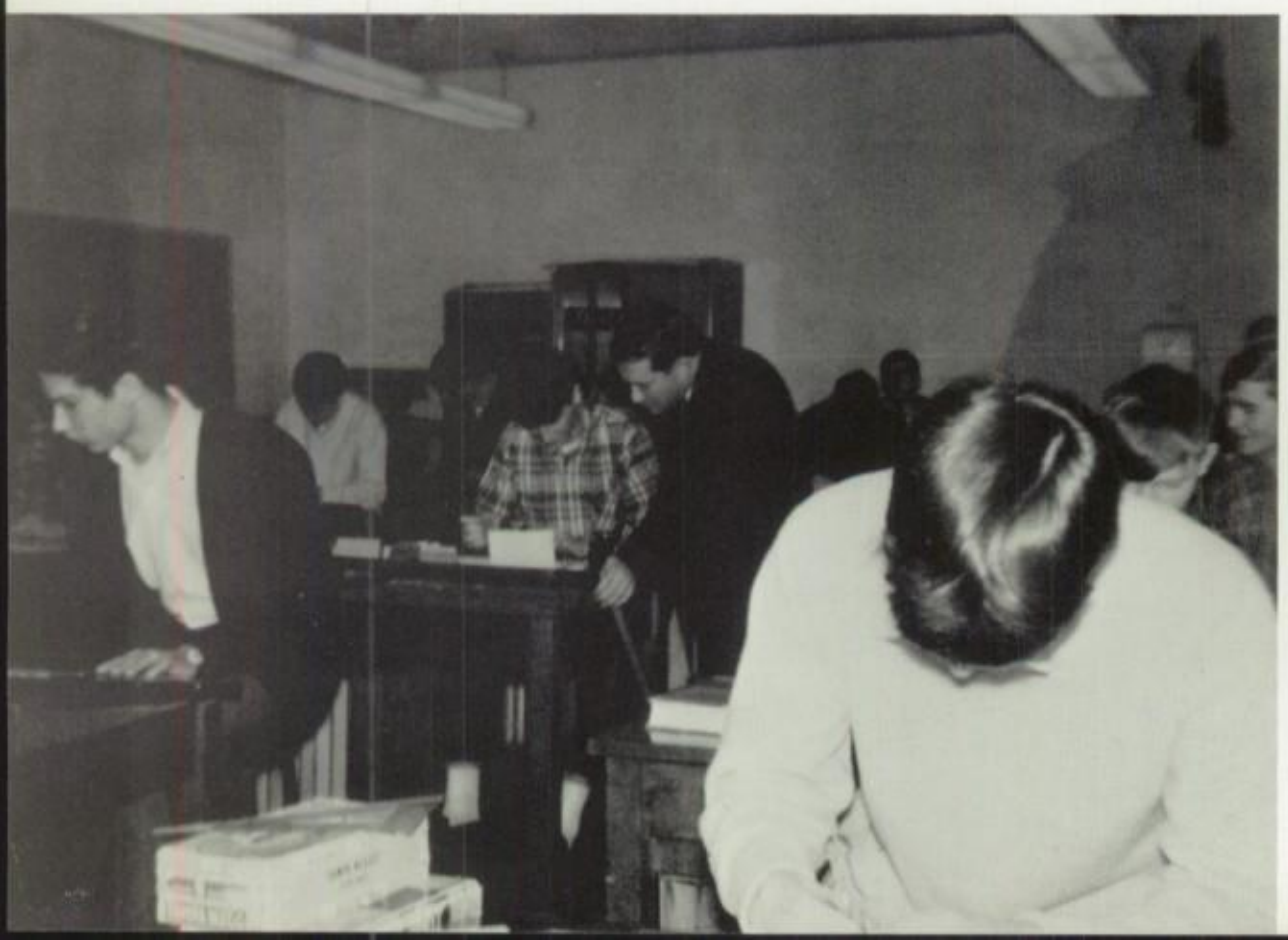
J. Keith Van Dyke, B.S.
Appalachian State Teachers College

The Industrial Arts Department consists of three teachers with four different areas being offered. These areas consist of Mechanical Drawing I, and II, Metal Working I and II, Woodworking I and II, and General Crafts.

Industrial Arts is part of the general education program designed to familiarize students with modern industry, its materials, processes, and problems. This is accomplished through participation in the activities typical of industry and through the technical information which accompanies in the school-shop work. The practical activities of the industrial arts pupil offers an exceptionally effective means for him to determine his basic interest and aptitudes with reference to a large group of modern vocations. The skills and interest developed in the industrial arts shop and drafting room often preride the incentive and the abilities necessary of leisure time.

The activities carried on in the shop offer a means of developing creative thinking and realizing or satisfying the urge of the student. Likewise, it offers a most desirable opportunity for self-expression through the planning and creation of usable objects.

Mr. Van Dyke aids mechanical drawing students.



D. E.

H. H. Scott

The Distributive Education Program, headed by Mr. Scott, is set up to train students for future vocations. The students take part-time jobs in area stores. Mr. Scott teaches them selling techniques and eitquette in salesmanship.

Driver Training

William Dhiel, B.S.
Concord College

Mr. Dhiel teaches driver training to any students over 15 years of age. Those desiring to take this course do so during their study hall periods. Mr. Dhiel has put many Basset drivers behind the wheel.

I. C. T.

Jack Frith
Virginia Polytechnic
Institute
Coordinator

The Industrial Cooperative Training Program is a plan for implementing the training recources of the school and the community. It is an arrangement between business, industrial, and professional establishments in the community and the public high school whereby the establishments furnish part-time employment and training to students during school hours and the school furnishes the subject matter. The program is headed by Mr. Jack Frith, who works closely with the students.

Jerri S. Devault, B.S.
Radford College

Edward P. Jones
Guilford College
A.B.

Iva Lyons, B.S.
Radford College

Don Yontz, B.S.
Concord College

Wayne Turner, M. Ed.
University of Virginia

Health And Physical Education

The Physical Education Department at Bassett High School is designed to meet the health, physical, and recreational needs of youth. The comprehensive goals of the program emphasize the mental, emotional, and social aspects of living as well as the physical development necessary for a happy and active life.

Both present and future physical and recreational needs of boys and girls is emphasized. A balanced program is used to adapt the activities to the needs of the individuals.

Coach Yontz takes active interest in his physical education classes.

Mrs. Devault returns test papers.

Home Ec. girls gather around Betty Hopper for a few extra sewing pointers.

The Home Economics Department strives to offer its students knowledge and techniques in all phases of homemaking which are necessary to improve family living in today's world. Homemaking I-IV is a four year sequential offering with girls able to advance at each years level of instruction.

Co-operative planning of the teachers, students, and parents is carried on to best meet the needs of the students. Practical application of problems is taught and encouraged. The girls carry learning and practice into their homes through home projects and home experiences. Teachers strive to keep abreast of current changes and innovations in order to utilize newest methods and equipment in teaching.

Each unit of instruction is directed toward the individual student's becoming equipped to solve personal and family problems and to accept responsibility as a family member in her present and future home.

Home Economics

Bertha P. Coates, B.S., Berea College.

Mrs. Clifton, Bassett's new Home Ec. teacher.

O. W. Clifton, B.S.
Wake Forest
College

Mary L. Jones, B.S.
Radford College

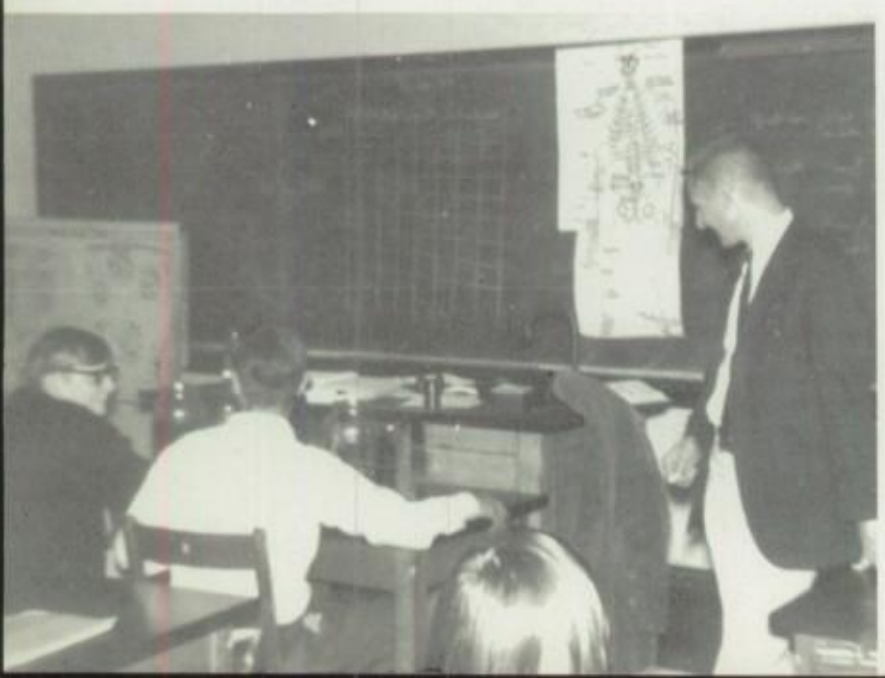
Paris L. Lambdin, B.A.
Lincoln Memorial University

Lewis W. Morgan, B.S.
Appalachian State
Teachers College

Science

Miss Jones explains
a chemistry equation.

Mr. Morgan talks with biology students.



Our age is an age of science. Science is progressive and progressiveness means change. Scientific information prepares the student to meet the challenges of his environment and enables him to make accurate decisions in his science-oriented world.

The science department offers courses in general science, biology and chemistry. When there is sufficient demand, physics is offered.

General science is offered as an introductive course. It touches on a wide variety of subject matter with specific units on earth science, astronomy, chemistry, biology, electricity and other physical sciences.

In biology, an attempt is made to survey the plant and animal kingdoms with special emphasis being placed on metabolism, growth, structure and response. Opportunities are provided for identification of plants and animals.

Chemistry students review the fundamental theories and principles of organic and inorganic matter. Considerable emphasis is placed on the properties and characteristics of the elements.

Language And Fine Arts

Not Pictured
Barbara Lamma, B.A.
Madison College

Margaret D. Ingram, B.A.
Radford College

The Foreign Language Department offers two courses, French and Spanish.

The purpose of this department is to acquaint students with the language and the culture of the nationality they study.

Tapes and records in the native language play an important part in helping to develop a native accent in the French and Spanish classes.

Students write to pen pals in the native countries in order to gain a better concept of each other's customs and daily life.

Most of the foreign language students emerge from class with a better understanding of our world neighbors who speak French or Spanish.

The Fine Arts Department has been revived and two classes are taught daily. Students paint and do other delicately skilled work.

Janice Dunham, B.S.
East Carolina College

French students prepare a bullentin board.

Spanish students learn repetition of sounds.

Art students learn embroidery.

Glen L. Johnson, B.A.
Lynchburg College

Thomas D. Kasey, B.S.
Virginia Polytechnic Institute

Ethel S. Koger, B.A.
Bridgewater College

Richard Leftwich, B.A.
Roanoke College

Colbert F. Micklem, B.S.
North Carolina State College

Social Studies

The United States and other nations are struggling to solve the growing problems facing the world.

Our department is striving to develop good and informed citizens for future living in this world.

Classes offered include U. S. History, Government, World History, World Geography, Economics, Civics, and Social Studies.

Current events are emphasized in our social studies classes and maps, films, records, projects, and outside speakers are used to supplement the textbook materials. Emphasis is placed on an understanding and appreciation of our cultural heritage.

Each course points up the necessity of individual responsibility for participation in our democratic way of life.

Mrs. Koger's government class discusses the world situation.

Coach Micklem begins his daily World Geography lesson.

Students in Mr. Johnson's class busily take notes.

Mathematics

Betty G. Cassady, B.S.
Radford College

Joyce Craig, B.A.
Radford College

Virgie Stockner, B.S.
Radford College

Francis Turner, B.S.
Virginia Polytechnic Institute

Betty D. Webb, B.S.
Radford College

Striving to meet the needs of all students in a technological society, the mathematics department offers a variety of courses.

The general mathematics course is required of everyone in the eighth grade. For those in the business or general curricula, a general course is offered in the ninth grade.

For those students planning on entering college, the courses of Algebra I and II are offered. For the first time a coordinated geometry is used between the two algebra courses. One semester each of solid geometry and trigonometry is available, as well as an advanced mathematics course designed to review the fundamentals of the algebra and geometry just prior to college entry. Two units of mathematics are required for graduation. Those students who show an aptitude for math are urged to continue beyond this requirement because of the importance of math in our present society.

Mrs. Cassady explains new geometry materials.

Business

Barbara S. Akers, B.S.
Madison College

Mary Draper, B.S.
Radford College

Frances Ferguson
Stratford College, A.A.
Longwood College, B.S.

Future secretaries learn shorthand.

Typing is an important course to academic as well as business students.

The Business Education Department is concerned with developing the fundamental skills that will enable students to secure and hold jobs in the business world of today and with preparing students for advanced training. It also provides a basic understanding of the practices and procedures that are necessary to any citizen in our economic society.

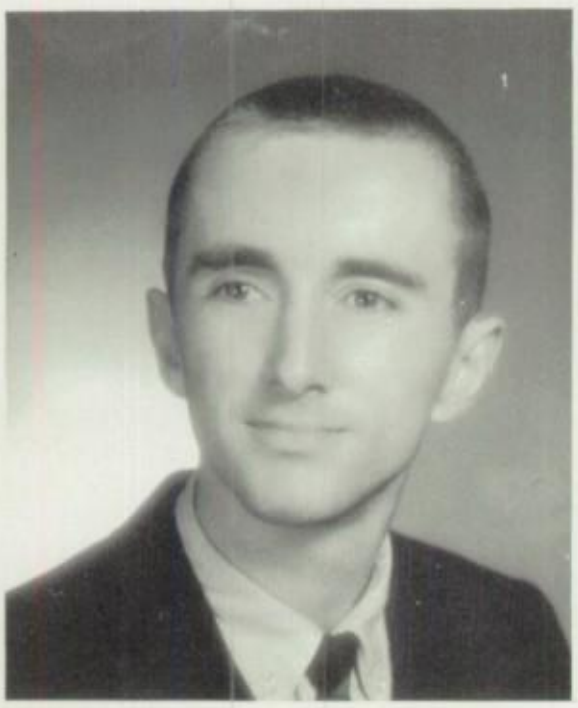
Classes are offered in beginning typing, advanced typing, beginning shorthand, advanced shorthand, bookkeeping and accounting, and general business.

Students practice what they have learned by assisting teachers in the typing of their materials, and by helping the Guidance Office with registration in the spring.

English

LaVergne T. Woody, B.A.
Longwood College

Kathryn P. Austin, B.S.
Mary Washington College



Gerald Lee Byrd, B.S.
East Carolina College

Five units of English are required for graduation. Encompassed within the English program is an organized plan to meet the needs of each individual student. This plan involves reading, speaking, listening, and writing skills, and each year's progress denotes more depth in each of these areas.

The English Department is concerned with the improvement of all forms of communication so that the student may participate intelligently in the affairs of the community, state, and nation. The teachers strive to teach the students to

Advanced Composition students study essays of famous writers.

Anne G. Ogburn, B.A.
Presbyterian College

Phyllis A. Wolfe, B.S.
Radford College

express their thoughts effectively and creatively, to think independently and logically, to read competently and critically both for information and enjoyment, to develop discriminating tastes in the selection of good literature, and to improve oral and written expression.

The English Department follows a planned study guide that is used in all Henry County High Schools. Advanced Composition is the one elective offered in English, and this course is limited to Seniors.

Ronald A. Peterson, B.A.
Wake Forest College

Miss Austin's class is school spirited.

Band

FIRST ROW: Morgan Armstrong, Carolyn Woodall, Ruth Puckett, Betty Hopper, Bonnie Eanes, Jody Mozick, Sandra Cooper, Betty Deal. SECOND ROW: Elizabeth Cooper, Darlene Bryant, Joy Turner, Jackie Spencer, George Wray, Mike Martin. THIRD ROW: Johnny Stafford, John Martin, Jerry Martin, Thurman Preston, Terry Chitwood, Willard Hodges. FOURTH ROW: Darrell Mabe, Joseph Pannell, Francis Eggleston, Jim Spencer, Hines Pegram, Alex Cassady, Steve Barley.

Director, Mr. Larry Lynch

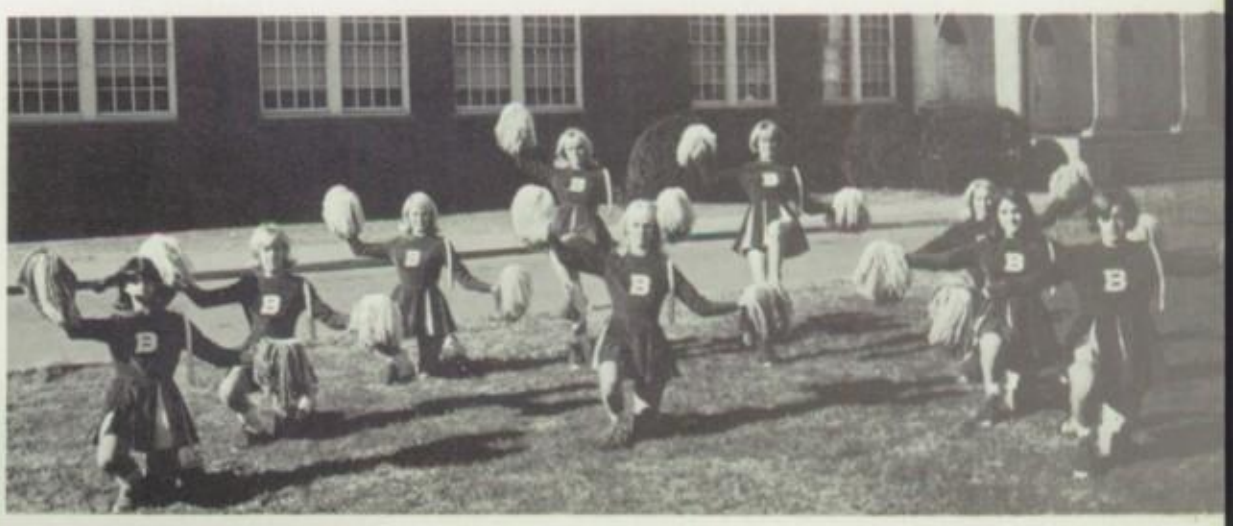
All the practice has really paid off for the band this year. Under the direction of Mr. Lynch, it marched its way through football season, Christmas parades, and the Shrine Bowl in Roanoke. They proudly brought home two trophies, one from the Shrine Bowl and one from the Martinsville Christmas Parade.

Many trips were enjoyed by band members as they traveled to perform for the public. The band and chorus together presented a Christmas concert, "The Sounds of Christmas".

Mr. Lynch has put forth a great deal of effort to help the band. Under his guidance, tremendous improvements have been made. These changes have opened everyone's eyes.

To the band, Bassett High bids a fond "Keep Marching!!!"

ROW ONE: Jewel Sigmond, Judy Eanes, Wanda Young, Deborah Law, Pat Self, Nancy Plott, LaVerne Harris. SECOND ROW: Edward Eggleston, Jill Gottshall, Kay Ward, Janice Martin, Martha Daniska, Bonita Bryant. THIRD ROW: Jackie Wray, Anthony Wood, J. W. Bryant, Chuck Shelton, Donnie Price, David Maddox. FOURTH ROW: Mike Williams, Rose Mary Neeley, Mike Arnold, Wayne Lovell, Danny Hodges, Larry Moran, Barbara Young.



POM-POM GIRLS: Sandra Cooper, Nancy Plott, LaVerne Harris, Patricia Self, Jewell Sigmon, Wanda Young, Betty Sue Deal, Judy Eanes, Deborah Law.

MAJORETTES: Jody Mozick, Janice Plott, Betty Hopper, Carolyn Woodall, Ruth Puckett, Bonnie Eanes.

Director, Miss Dorothy Hollenberg
Bridgewater College

The Glee Club of Bassett High School consists of 47 members. The objective of each member is to attend Regional Chorus at least once.

Every year, members are elected to represent the Chorus in Chatham, Virginia.

The Chorus presents a Christmas concert and a Spring concert every year. The Christmas concerts are joint band and chorus. Singing for various churches and for school assemblies and other activities are other accomplishments of the Glee Club.

Chorus

ROW ONE: Shirley Weaver, Mary Ann Stone, Joyce Ramsey, Helen Jo Pegram, Terry Trantham, Mary Lou Jessee, Carolyn Helms, Barbara Philpott. SECOND ROW: Pat Ferguson, Diane Ferguson, Regina Manns, Sandra Martin, Sally Craig, Mary Stanley, Bonnie Bullins. THIRD ROW: Suzanne Carmody, Brenda Draper, Ronnie Wray, Mike Hall, Mae Frances Wray, Pat Joyce, Pat Neaves, Sylvia Gilbert. FOURTH ROW: Mary Edmunds, Gene Bryson, Charles Hairston, Thurman Preston, Larry Fulcher, Bonnie Wells, Connie McDaris, Betty Colston, Betty Gail Hundley. FIFTH ROW: Keith Stone, George Wray, Lonnie Woodall, John Hairston, Gray Hollandsworth, Lorraine Jefferson, Martha Cox, Deborah Woods, Temple Turner.

Chorus members spend many long hours of practice in the desire to continue their progress.

Those chosen to represent B.H.S. at All-State Chorus are: Terry Trantham, Helen Jo Pegram, Suzanne Carmody, Barbara Philpott, Charles Hairston, Thurman Preston, and Retta Sabow (not pictured).

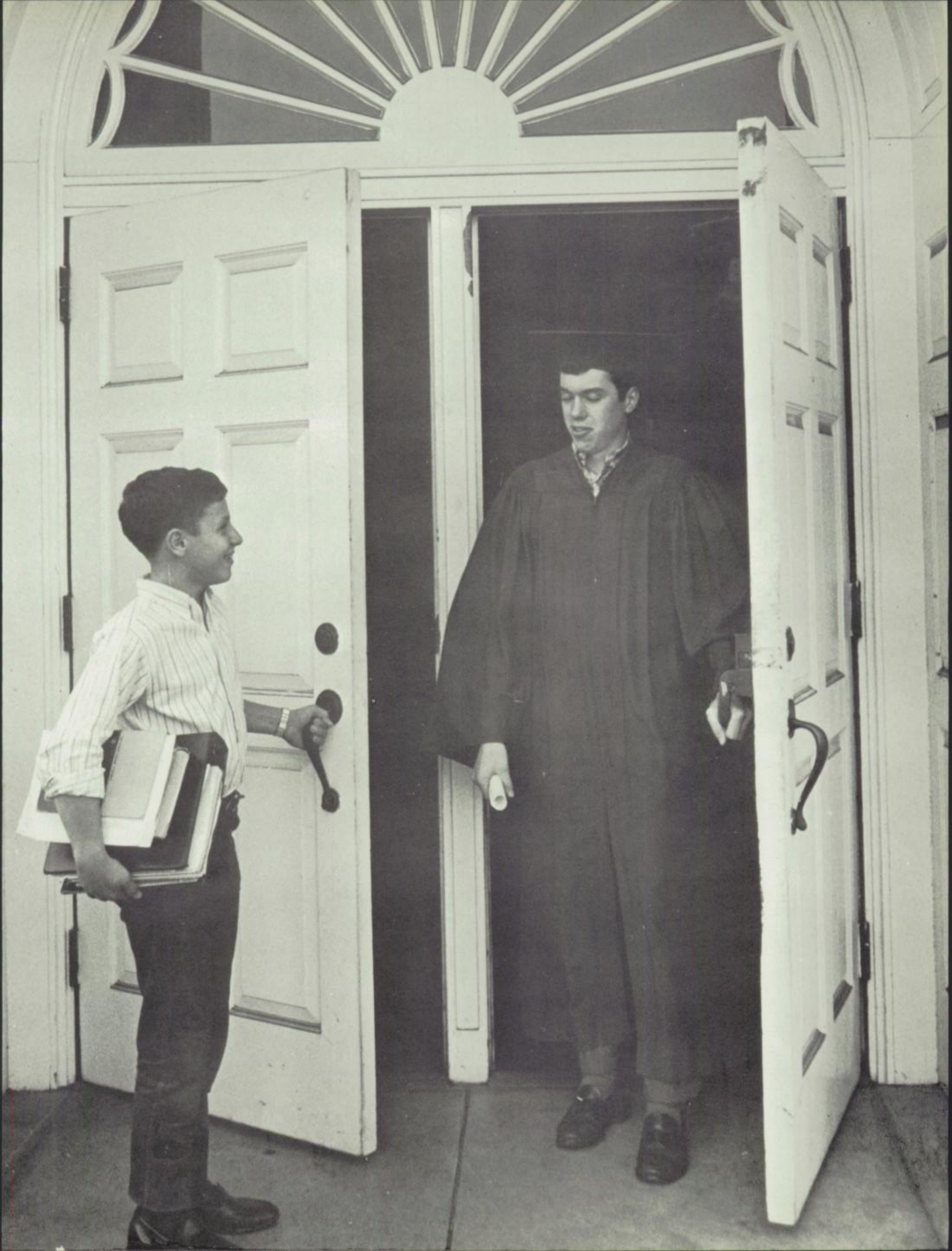
Chorus Officers

Student Director--Charles Hairston; Asst. Director--Joyce Love; President--Hellen Jo Pegram; V.-Pres.--Carolyn Helms; Sec.-Treasurer--Thurman Preston; Librarians--Janice Plott, Mary Lou Jessee; Pianists--Barbara Philpott, Sandra Martin; Director--Miss Hollenberg.

Happiness Is Seeking

The measure of a happy life is from having once lived well, acted our part handsomely, and made our exit cheerfully.

Lord Shaftsbury



Senior Class History

Five years ago, we embarked upon an exciting new phase of school life. We entered as eighth graders at Bassett High School and began our memorable high school career. Under the leadership of President Lee Philpott, we formulated our plans and anticipations. Realizing that parliamentary procedure was absolutely necessary at class meetings, we knew that the following years would be full of compromising but rewarding work. Our class was honored as being the first eighth graders to have a first runner up in the Ideal Girl Contest, when Judy Park captured the honors with her musical-dance routine. Sarah Lipford represented our class at Homecoming.

The following fall we started our freshman year. We chose Judy Park as President, setting high goals for our class and working toward them with enthusiasm. Our Homecoming representative was Laura Adkins. Kathy Amandolia graced our class as she became Princess Bassett, and Sarah Lipford was chosen "Most Ideal Girl" of the entire student body.

We began our sophomore year with high expectations. With Rodney Smith in command, we tied for top honors in Pep Week. Toni Thomas became Miss Bassett, and Judy Lawrence represented us at Homecoming. Our class treasury boomed as we began preparations for the big event to take place in our Junior year.

After a successful sophomore year, we continued under the able leadership of Rodney. Some of our number were honored as members of the Beta Club and wore their pins with pride. Our plans began early for our Junior-Senior Prom. As the result of much hard work and determination, we presented "Shangri-La", one of our outstanding high school achievements. Two members of our class participated in a Summer Science Program sponsored by National Science Foundation. Sarah Lipford traveled to the Interamerican University in Puerto Rico and Judy Park studied at Wake Forest College. Lucy Anne Scoggin attended Girls' State and Lee Philpott, Lonnie Brooks, and Tommy Rakestraw participated in the summer Boys' State program sponsored by the American Legion groups.

What was once the future is now the present. All our projects and all our enthusiasm have fostered the "Class of '66". Re-electing Rodney Smith as our President for the third time, we obtained Senior Privileges and found our way to the long-awaited front row seats. The newly founded National Honor Society is under the leadership of Betty Ann Rhodes, and the 1966 TIMBER TINTS is edited by Lucy Anne Scoggin. One of the highlights of the year was the crowning of Terry Trantham as Homecoming Queen, Ray Goins as King, and Janet Turner and Lee Philpott as Maid of Honor and Knight.

Realizing that soon our preparations will begin for graduation, excitement is growing over our college years. We can look back with pride in our accomplishments and happiness in our experiences. We look forward with anticipation of the years to come.

Class Officers--President-Rodney Smith, Vice-President-Morgan Armstrong, Secretary-Ann Prilliman, Treasurer-Sarah Lipford.

Senior Class

Class Colors:
Blue and Gold

Class Motto:
"Build today for a better tomorrow."

Class Flower:
White Rose

SAMUEL CURTIS ADAMS

WILLIE DIXON ADAMS, JR.

CLIFFORD EUGENE ADKINS

LAURA MAE ADKINS

KATHRYN BRYAN AMANDOLIA

ROBERT MORGAN ARMSTRONG

RICHARD SAMUEL ARRINGTON

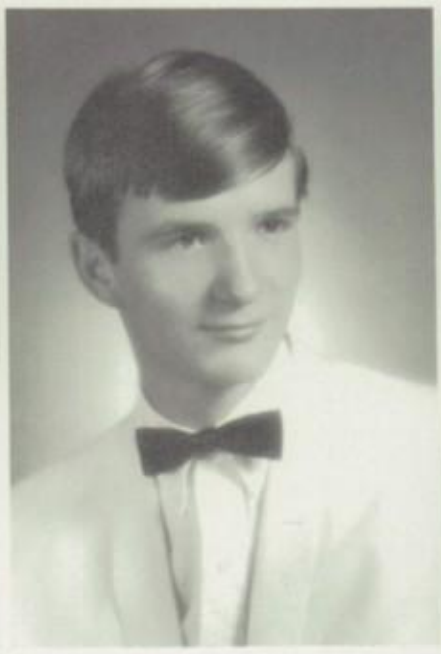
JOEL RODNEY ASHBY

At Last The Big Year

Research for term papers keep Seniors busy. Richard Bower, Linda Martin, and Carl Goode seek necessary information in the library.

NANCY BASSETT BEAMER

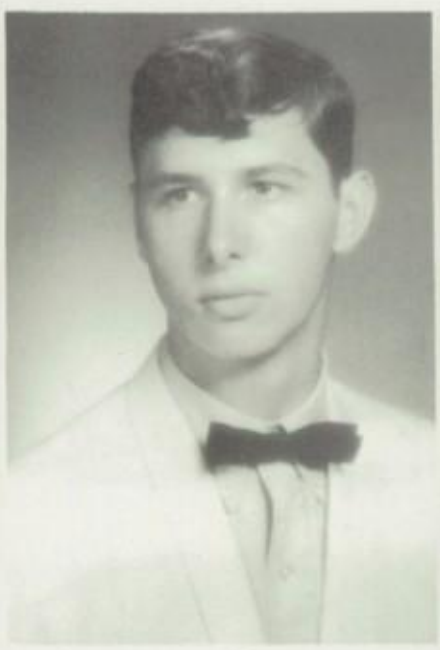
HERMAN RICHARD BOWER



ROBERT CLAYBURN BOWER

BRENNA SHARON BOWERS

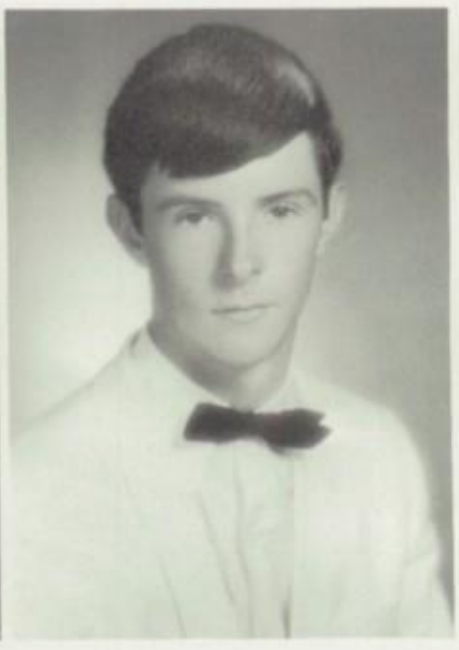
Arrives For The Class Of '66



LONNIE ALLAN BROOKS

SANDRA KAY BROWN

ANITA ANNE BULLOCK



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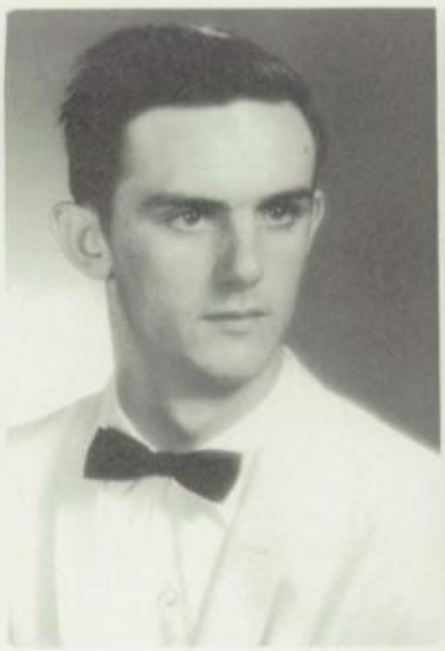

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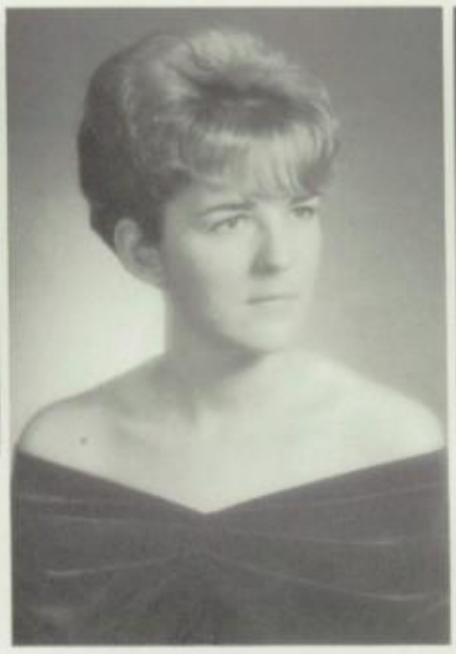

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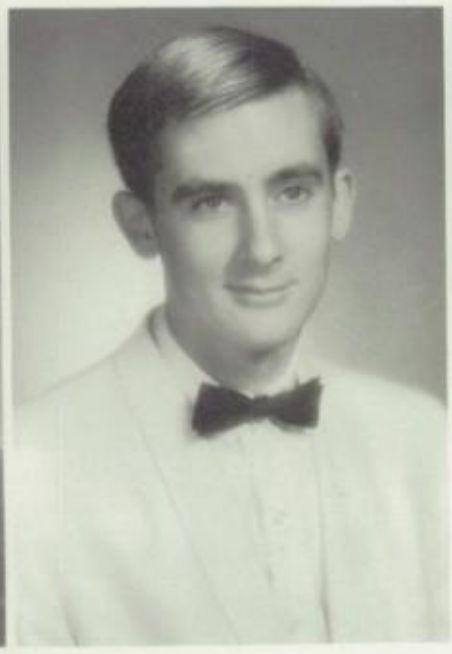


PAUL ALAN CASSELL

ALBERT WILLS CLARK

HARRY RICHARD CLEMENTS

MARY VIRGINIA CLEMENTS

BETTY FRANCES COLSTON

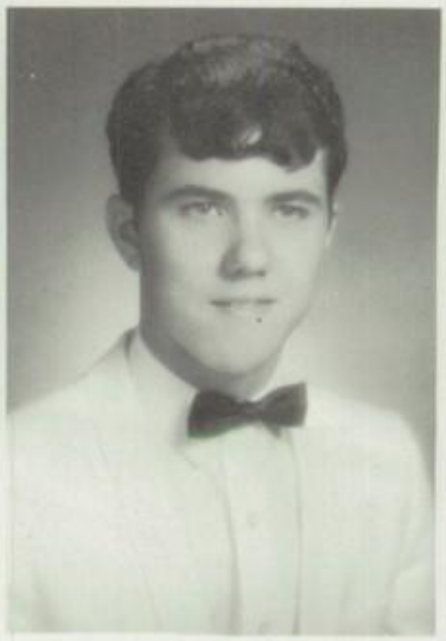
CLINTON CECIL CONNER

Seniors Feel New Pride

LINDA FRANCES CONNER

LEONA KERMEEN COOPER

CARL ROBERT CRADDOCK



BOBBY LEE CRAIG

ROGER EUGENE CRAIG

MYRA KAY CUNDIFF

FRANCES JEAN DODSON

MARTHA ANN DOUGLAS

JAMES WILLIAM EDWARDS

KENNETH RAY HAYNES

CHARLES WILLIAM HAIRSTON

JIMMY ROAISAIRO HALL

In Their Alma Mater

GEORGE WASHINGTON GUSLER

KENNETH RONALD GREER

CARLTON BRAMMER GOODE, JR.

CARL RAY GOINS

BETTY JANE GILBERT

JUDY JEANETTE GAMMONS

SANDRA KAY FRANKLIN

BOBBY JEAN ESTES

BRENDA ANN HELMS

JEAN CAROLYN HELMS

ROBERTA LEIGH HITE

MICHAEL WAYNE HODGES

Seniors Discover The Need For

SHIRLEE LYNN HOLLANDSWORTH

KENNETH RAY HOLT

BETTY MAE HOPPER

LINDA GAYE HOWELL

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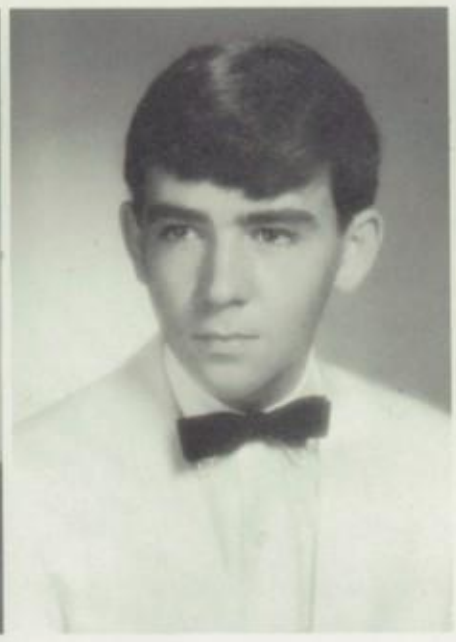
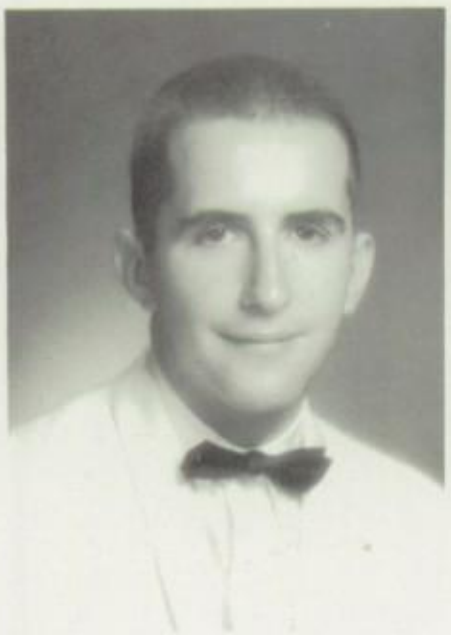


BERNARD EMMETT JOYCE, JR.

CLYDE DAVID JOYCE

DONNA MARIE JOYCE

More Study And Determination



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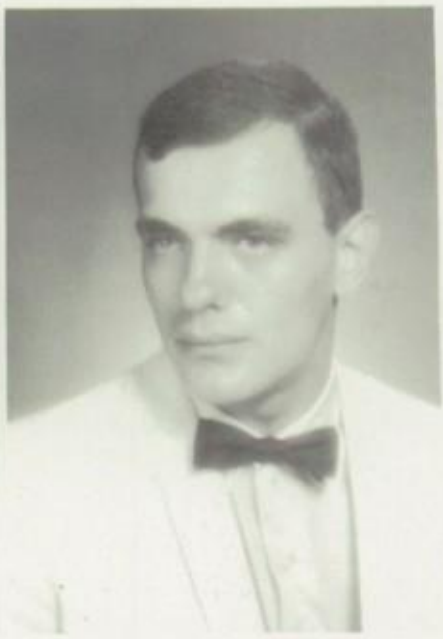
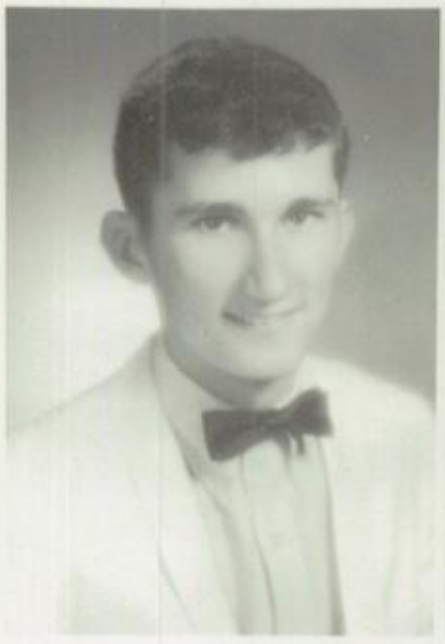
RONALD GALE JOYCE

SAMUEL GREEN JOYCE



RAYMOND GARDON KEYES

Each morning before school, Seniors gather in the auditorium to study, or talk, or just pass the time until the first bell rings.



LONNIE JAMES KILBY

JOHN BARRY KOGER

CAROLYN ANNE KOONTZ

JUDITH JONES LAWRENCE

Practice For Graduation Brings

CHARLES EDWARD LEMONS

ROY CLINARD LEMONS

SARAH LEIGH LIPFORD

BETTY DELOIS MARTIN

DANNY LANE MARTIN

DARRELL DEAN MARTIN

JANICE ELAINE MARTIN

LINDA PLOTT MARTIN

CLIFTON ROY MAYES

CLARA MAE MEEKS

DANA MILES

MARTHA ELAINE MILLS

Realization That 1966 Is Ending

HAZEL JEAN MINTER

SARAH COOPER MITCHELL

VIRGINIA JOANNE MOZICK

STEVE ESTIL NELSON

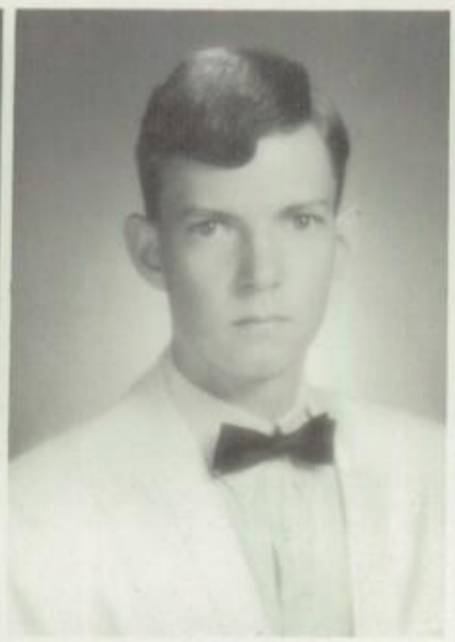
BRENDA LOUISE NORMAN

JUDITH EMILY PARK

FLORENCE GAYLENE PARR

BARBARA ANN PAULEY

LARRY NEAL PEAK



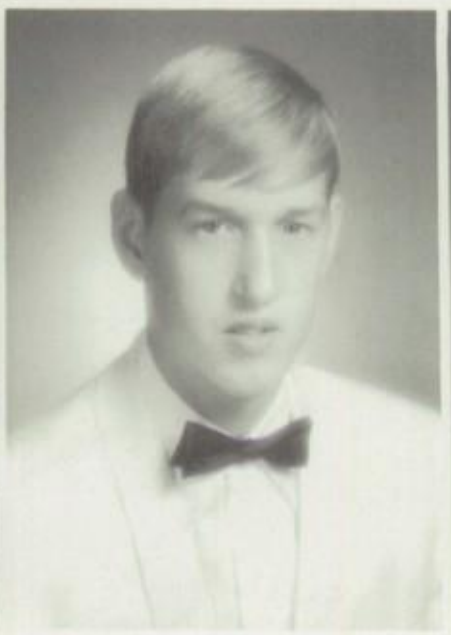
GLENN FORD PHILLIPS

ALBERT LEE PHILPOTT

THURMAN RUTH PRESTON

Excitement Grows As Seniors

ALICE ANN PRILLAMAN



LARRY EDWARD PRILLAMAN

PATRICK GERALD PUCKETT

JAMES ALVIN RAKES

THOMAS ANDREW RAKESTRAW

LINDA EDWARDS RATCLIFF

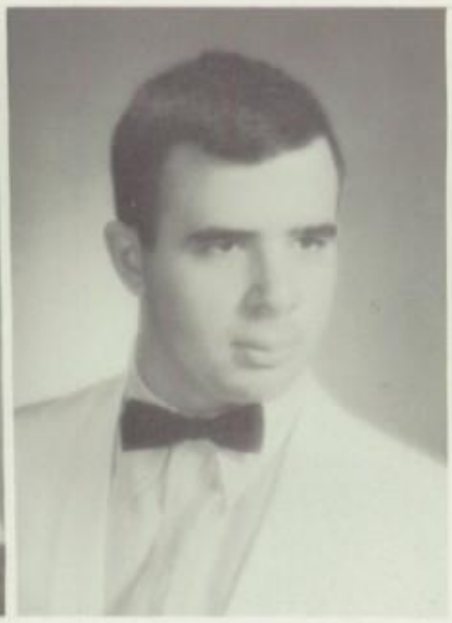
BETTY ANN RHODES

SANDRA KAYE ROBERSON

MALVERN DANNY ROBERTSON

CARL STEVEN ROSE

RETTA YEVON SABOW



RONALD LEE SALMONS

Make Plans For College

CLIFFORD TRUMAN SAUL

LUCY ANNE SCOGGIN

PHALA MAUDE SCOTT

SANDRA JEAN SEBASTIAN

TIMOTHY ALLEN SETLIFF

BRENDA KAY SHEPPARD

TIM WAYNE SHIVELY

RODNEY ALLEN SMITH

TOMMY WALLACE SMITH

JETTIE RUTH TURNER

JANET SUE TURNER

TERESA CLAIR TRANTHAM

Many Happy Memories Will

JOYCE ANN TERRY

BOBBY GLEASON STULTZ

RICHARD CLAYTON STOUT

RHOENA MAXINE STONE

ANITA MARIE STONE

MARY CORNELIA STANLEY

RICHARD ADAM SPENCER

JACKINETTE YVONNE SPENCER

CLIFFORD HAROLD VIA

BRIDUS GLENN VOSS

MADELINE LOUISE WASHBURN

LINDA DARNELL WATKINS

Always Accompany The Class Of '66

LILLIE DELILAH WHISNANT

FRANCES IRENE WILLARD

BONNIE MARIE WILLIAMS

ELBY LEON WILLIS

RICHARD KENT WOOD

LONNIE RAY WOODALL

DARLENE EDNA WRIGHT

Sarah, Kathy, Bobbi, and Moose often gather between classes.

Terry Trantham, Charles Hairston, and Thurman Preston find time to enjoy their musical talents.

Senior year brings the privilege (?) of being called upon to substitute, as Lucy Anne is seen in Mr. Van Dyke's class.

Eighth graders are not the only students with locker problems; but "gentleman" Harold gives Judy a helping hand.

Class Officers: Treasurer - Mary Lou Jessee, Secretary - Helen Jo Pegram, Vice President - Cheryl Gale, President - Keith Stone.

Experience Leads The Junior Class

Class motto:
We live in a world of conformity, seeking to be ourselves.

Class colors:
Blue and silver

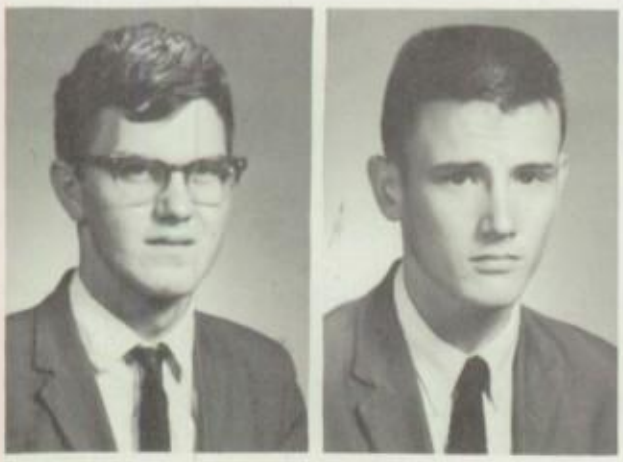
Class flower:
Chrysanthemum

Mary Adams
Eunice Adkins
Linda Atkins
James Barnes
Sandra Bower

Janet Brim
Bonita Bryant
Ronnie Bryant
Gene Bryson
Judy Bryson

Juniors Enter School In Fall With

Neil Bullard



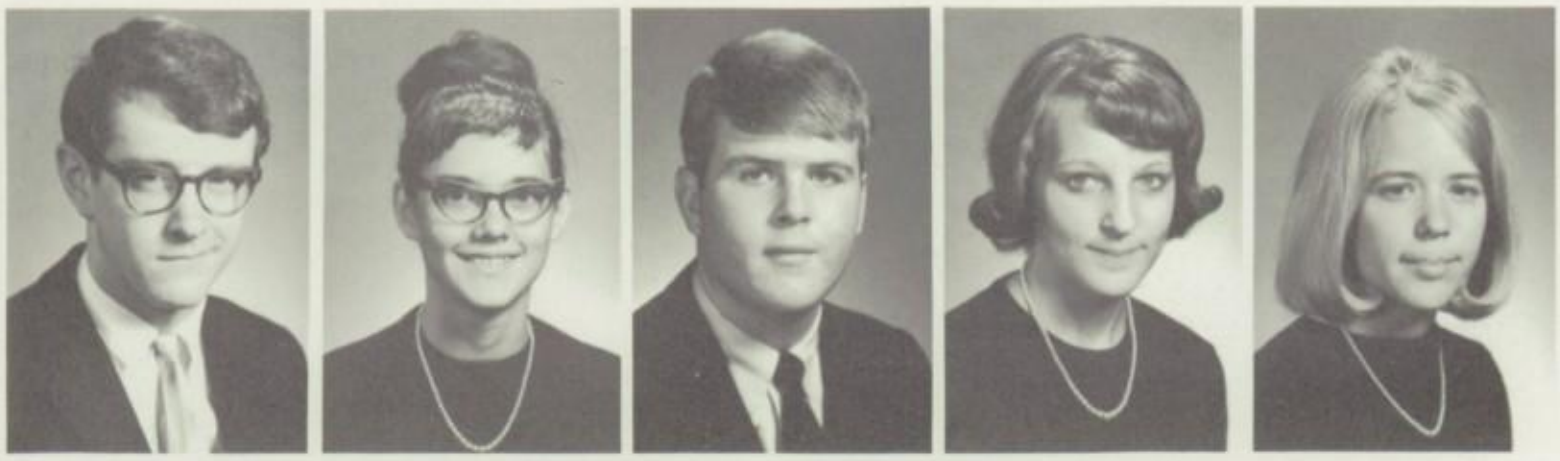
Curtis Cannady
Ralph Cannady

Juniors find American Literature interesting.

Suzanne Carmod
Larry Carter
Alex Cassady
Sonny Cassady
Jean Cassell

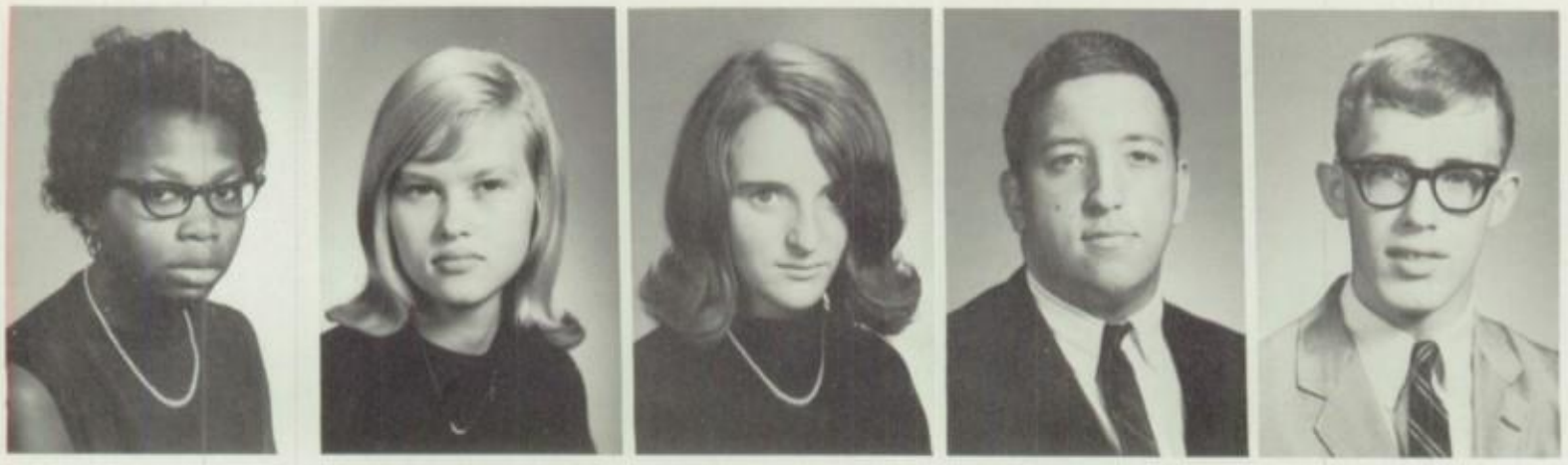
Patricia Catron
Bonnie Chaney
Glenn Coleman
Carolyn Conner
Brady Cooper

Thoughts And Hopes For A Happy Year.



Darby Cox
Sally Craig
Jessie Crawford
Sylvia Cundiff
Betty Deal

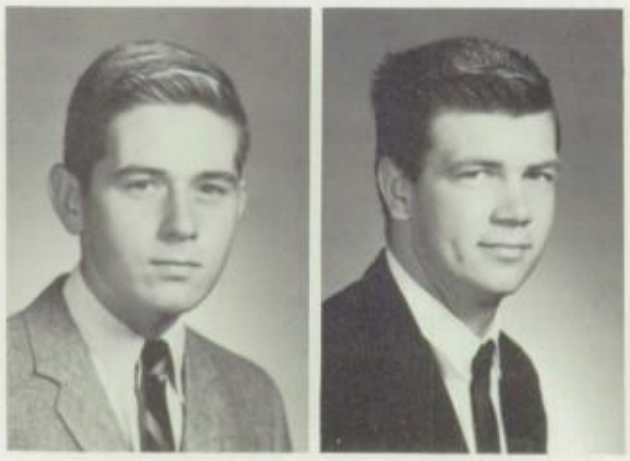
Roger Dillon
Wayne Doss
John Draper
Benton Dyer
Judy Eanes



Runile Edmonds
Diane Ferguson
Pat Ferguson
Eddie Fulcher
Larry Fulcher

Cheryl Gale
Sylvia Gilbert
Ann Goode
Diane Hall
Pamela Handy

Juniors Feel Great Pride In



Tim Handy
Mike Hodges

Willard Hodges

Barry Hollandsworth
Gary Hollandsworth
Barbara Hopkins
Michael Hopkins
Rodney Howell

Dale Hylton
Judy Ingram
Wilma Ingram
Mary Lou Jesse
Marcella Prunty Jones

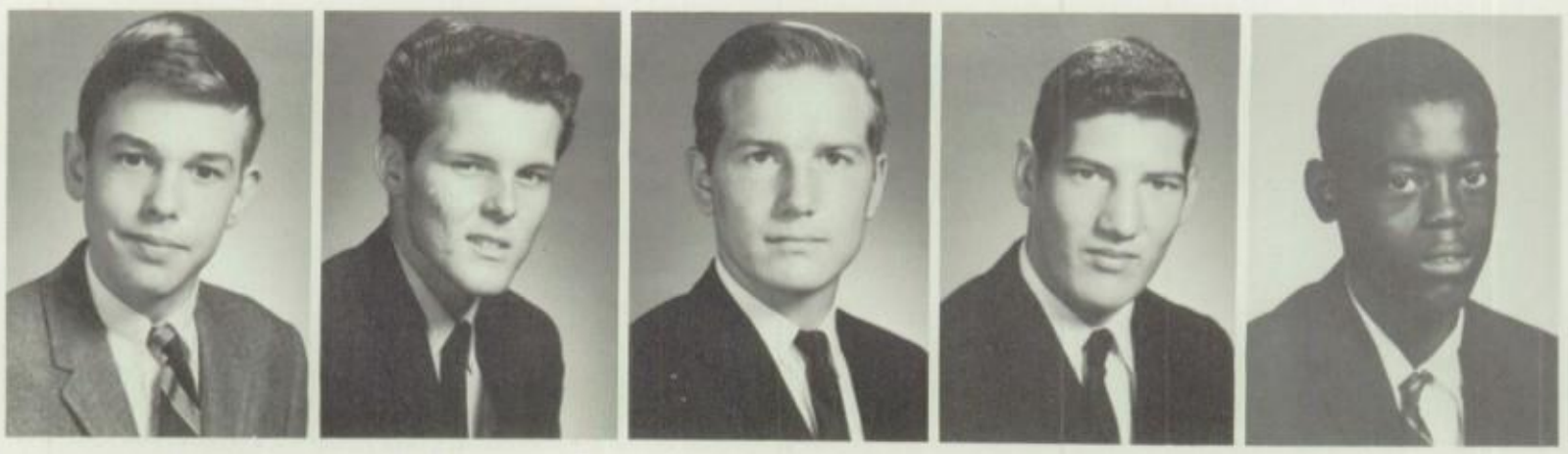
Their Fine Show In Sports.

Jeanne Joyce
Patricia Joyce
Aaron Keen
David Keen
Becky Krontz

David Lawless
Joyce Love
Barbara Lovell
Darrell Mabe
David Maddox

Regina Manns
Betty Martin
Judy McBride
Leon Mitchell
Mike Moore

Kenneth Mullin
Roger Nester
Wayne Newman
David Oliver
Joseph Pannell



Ordering Class Rings Means They

Upon entering the familiar halls of Bassett High in the fall of '65, the Junior class faced a new and very different school year. They accepted the new environment and attempted to adapt to it. The classes and detention halls were greatly enlivened by the jolly Juniors. The Juniors showed their pep in the week before Homecoming with posters and spirited pep rally participation. Much excitement spread when the go-ahead was given on the Junior-Senior Prom. The class fell into the great task ahead of them, working and preparing with diligence to have the best Prom ever conceived at B. H. S. Through the tears, joys, exams, new friendships, and hard work, the class of '67 hopes to emerge better prepared to accept the roles in the world of tomorrow.

Junior girls work on burlap in Art Class.

Are Really Juniors At Last.

Lena Pannell
Helen Jo Pegram
George Philpott
Donald Plagger
Janice Plott

Janice Quesenberry
Dane Ramsey
Wayne Ramsey
Jerry Seay
Pat Self

Nancy Setliff
Jewell Sigmon
Wayne Sigman
James Smith
Sandra Smith

Snuffy Smith
Johnny Stafford
Vivian Stevens
Benton Stone
Keith Stone

Plans For A Junior-Senior

Larry Stone
Mary Stone

Benton Stone works hard on drawing in Mechanical Drawing Class.

Mike Stone

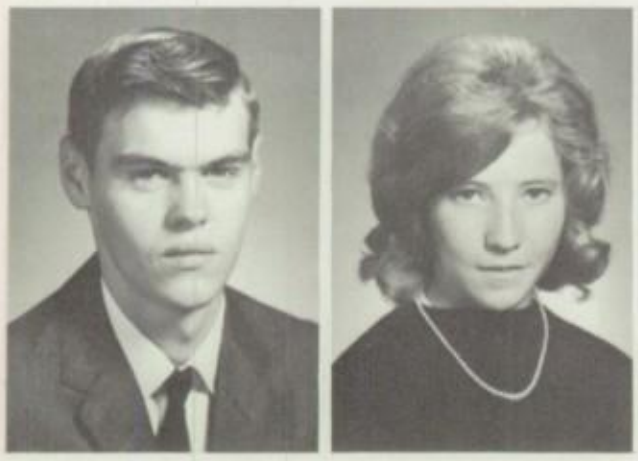
Wesley Stroop
Ted Southerland
Juanita Tate
Bonnie Tilley
Christene Tolbert

Bring Many Busy Hours.

Juniors find the library a quiet place to study.

Denise Trail
Darlene Triplett
Roger Turner
Collette Watkins
Bonnie Wells

Bonnie West
Sue West
Rachel Whisnant
Mary White
Joyce Sheppard



James Whitlock
Shirley Willard

College Boards Make Juniors Realize

Robert Williams

Snuffy Smith displays his mathematical talents in Geometry class.

Donnie Wood
Vern Wood
Carolyn Woodall
George Wray
May Wray

Ronnie Wray
Jimmy Young

There Is Only One More Year To Go

"Busy" Junior Key Clubbers, Keith Stone and Tim Handy, leave all the work for Sophomore, Rodney DeHart.

Wanda Young

Class officers (from left to right): Treasurer-Sharon Hancock, Secretary-Patsy Draper, Sgt.-at-arms-Ellen Walmsley, Hines Pegram, Vice President-Thornton Cockram, President-Glenda Parr (not pictured).

Sophomore Class

Class motto:
With the ropes of the past, we shall ring
the bells of the future.

Class colors:
Green and white

Class flower:
Lily

Gaye Adkins
Glenna Adkins
Judy Akers
Mike Anderson
John Arnold

Mike Arnold
Diane Arrington
David Ashby
Patty Ashley
Jerry Atkins

Sandra Atkins
Martha Ann Barker
Steve Barley
Joshua Belcher
Linda Blankenship

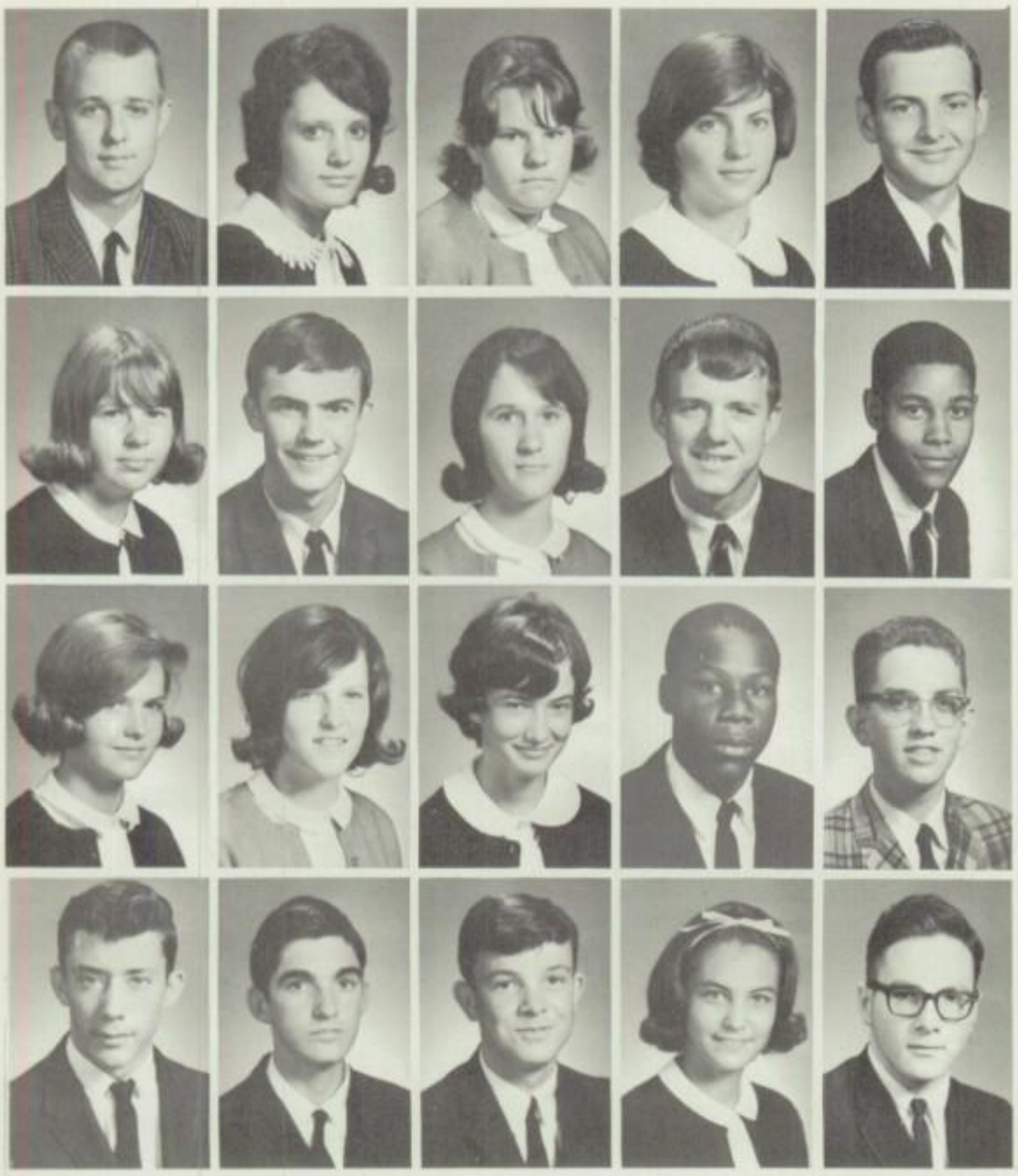
Gale Boswell
Dwight Bower
Carol Brammer
Nancy Brooks
Bonnie Bullins

Sophomores Elect Officers As The Year Begins

Tommy Bullock
Doug Cannady
Ralph Carroll
David Cassady
Kelly Cecil

David Cline
Allen Cobler
J. T. Cobler
Thorton Cockram
Sandra Cooper

Howard Corns
Carolyn Craig
Clarence Craig
Donnie Craig
Michael Craig



Richard Craig
Lynette Crow
Patsy Dalton
Martha Daniska
Russel Davidson

Sheila Davis
Rodney DeHart
Janet Dillon
David Doss
Archie Draper

Patsy Draper
Teresa Draper
Bonnie Eanes
Cornelius Edmonds
Francis Eggleston

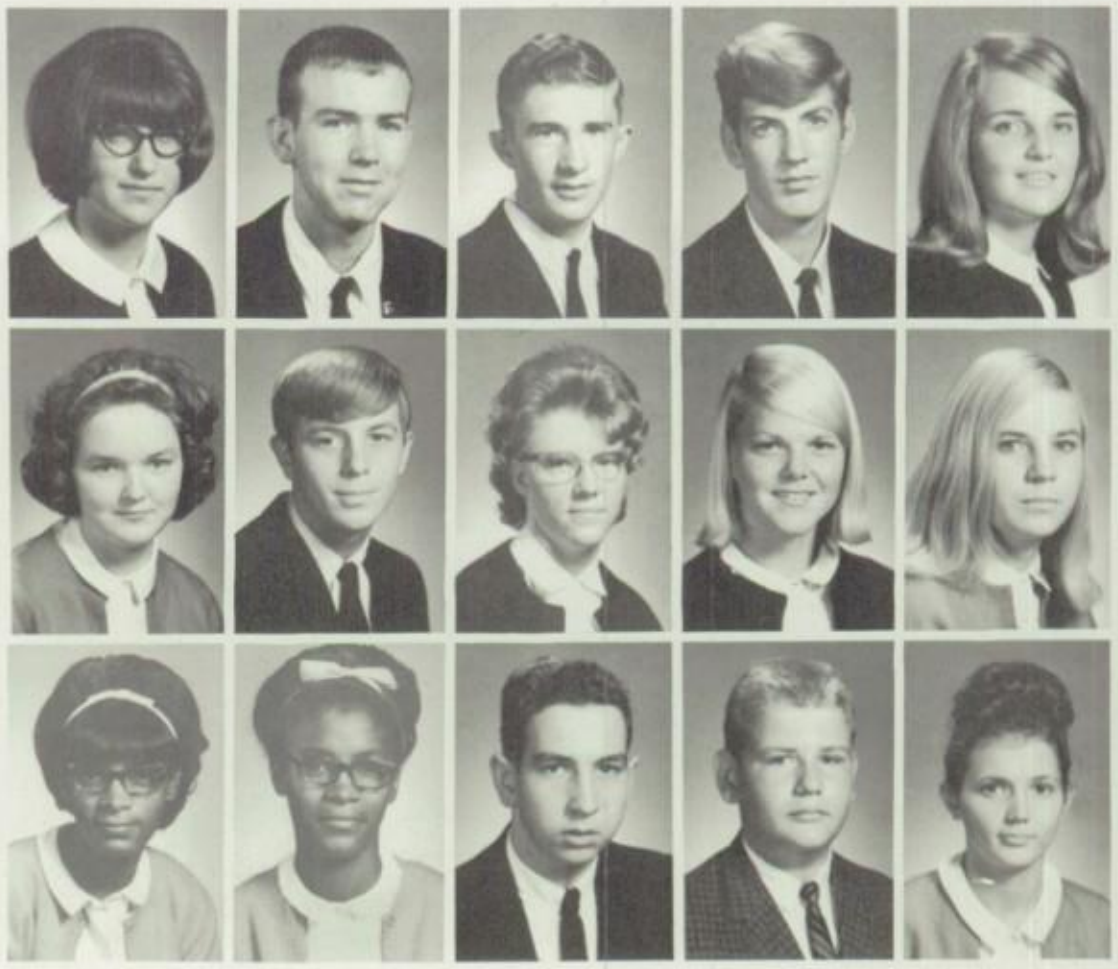
Raymond Flanedry
Jimmy Gardner
T. C. Gordon
Joy Gottshall
Lawrence Greer

Sophomores Tackle New, Varied Subjects

Faye Gusler
David Hall
Mike Hall
Roger Hall
Sharon Hancock

Betty Handy
Ronnie Harrel
Frances Harris
Laverne Harris
Susan Harris

Rhona Helms
Ruth Helms
Connie Hodges
Danny Hodges
Pat Hodges

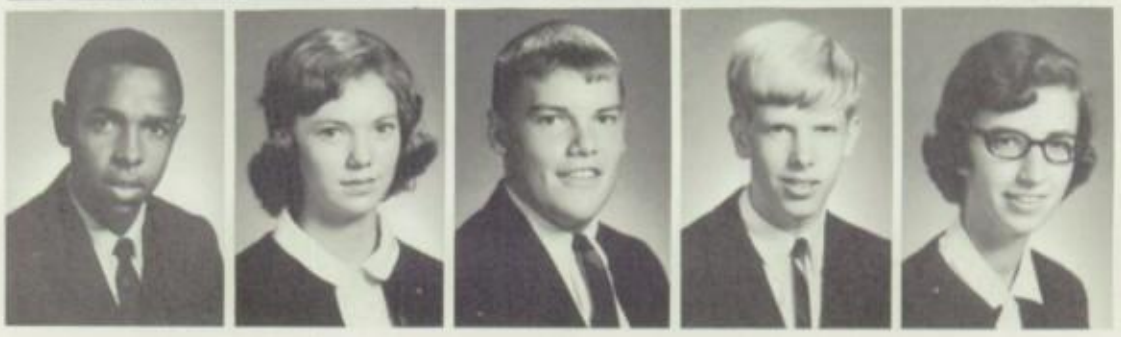


Virginia Hodges
Freddy Hodnett
Rita Holt
Joey Hubbard
Elvy Hylton

Ethel Ingram
Marie Joyce
Pat Joyce
Jerry Keffer
Darryl Kilby

Bill Kinney
Bobby Kitzmiller
Everette Lawson
Wayne Lovell
Palmer Lowery

Howard Manns
Karen Marshall
Jerry Martin
John Martin
Sandra Martin



And Join More Clubs And Organizations

Dwight Bower works on his wood shop project.

William Martin
Judy Mathenia
Linda Mayes
Wayne Miles
Bobby Mitchell

Carol Mitchell
Roger Mitchell
Steve Mitchell
Angela Mize
Eva Mize

Gradytene Morrison
Mary McClellan
Connie McDaris
Barbara Neeves
Phillip Nelson

Donald Nolen
Linda Nolen
Donald Nowlin
Smokey Pack
Glenda Parr

Sophomores Support The Bengal Team

The Sophomore class of '68 can boast that it has reached the halfway mark in its road through Bassett High School. Each year the Sophomores' pride deepens as many of their fellow classmen take part in the various activities of the school. From the Sophomore class came the girl who reigns as Princess Bassett, Miss Mary McClellan. Many of the boys have made a fine showing in varsity sports. The Sophomores have spent many happy hours at Bassett High, and they look forward to many more in the two years to come.

Hines Pegram and Mike Arnold work on mechanical drawing assignments.

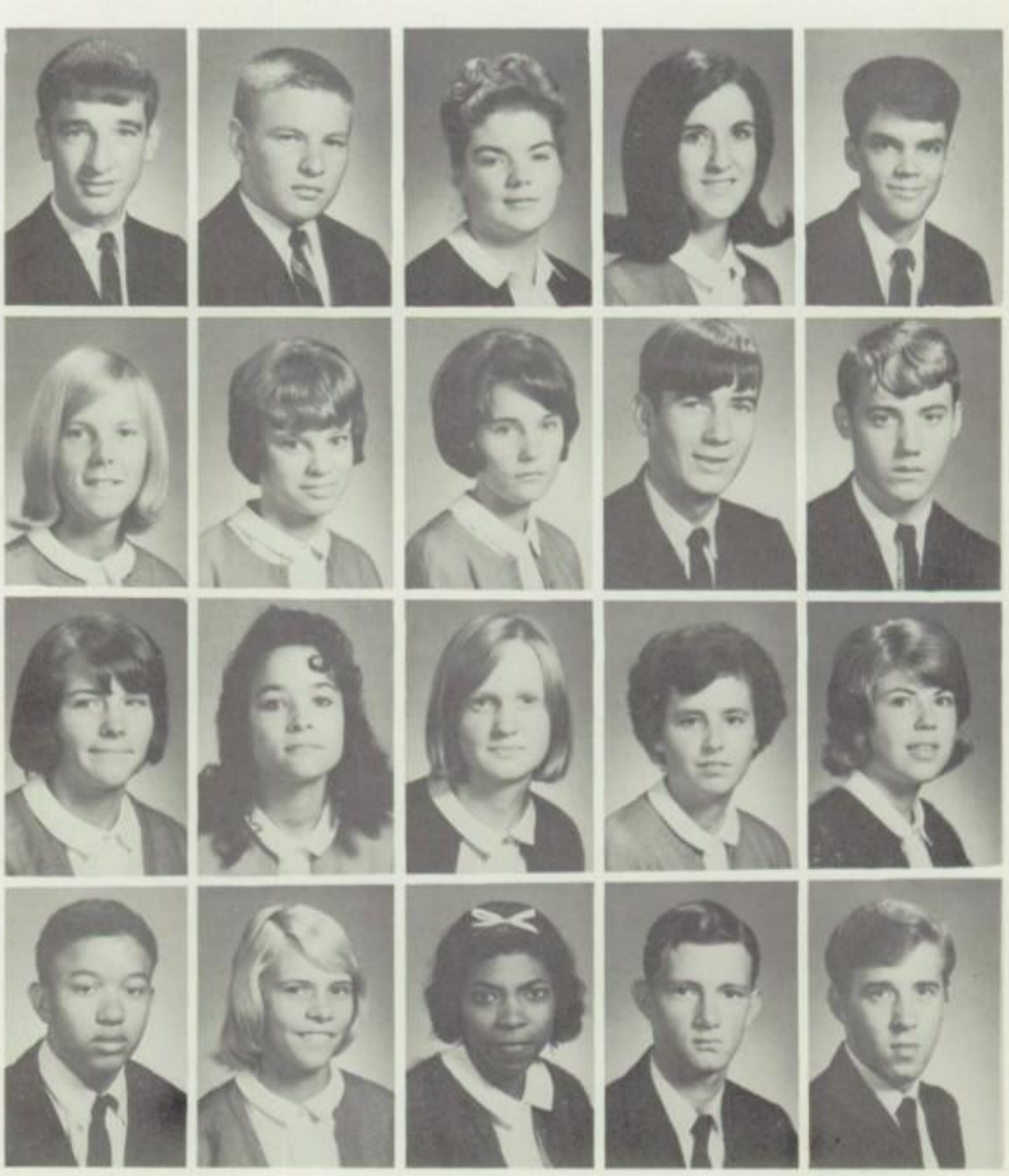
And Serve The Juniors At The Prom

Hines Pegram
Larry Perdue
Barbara Philpott
Mary Louise Pilson
Larry Plaster

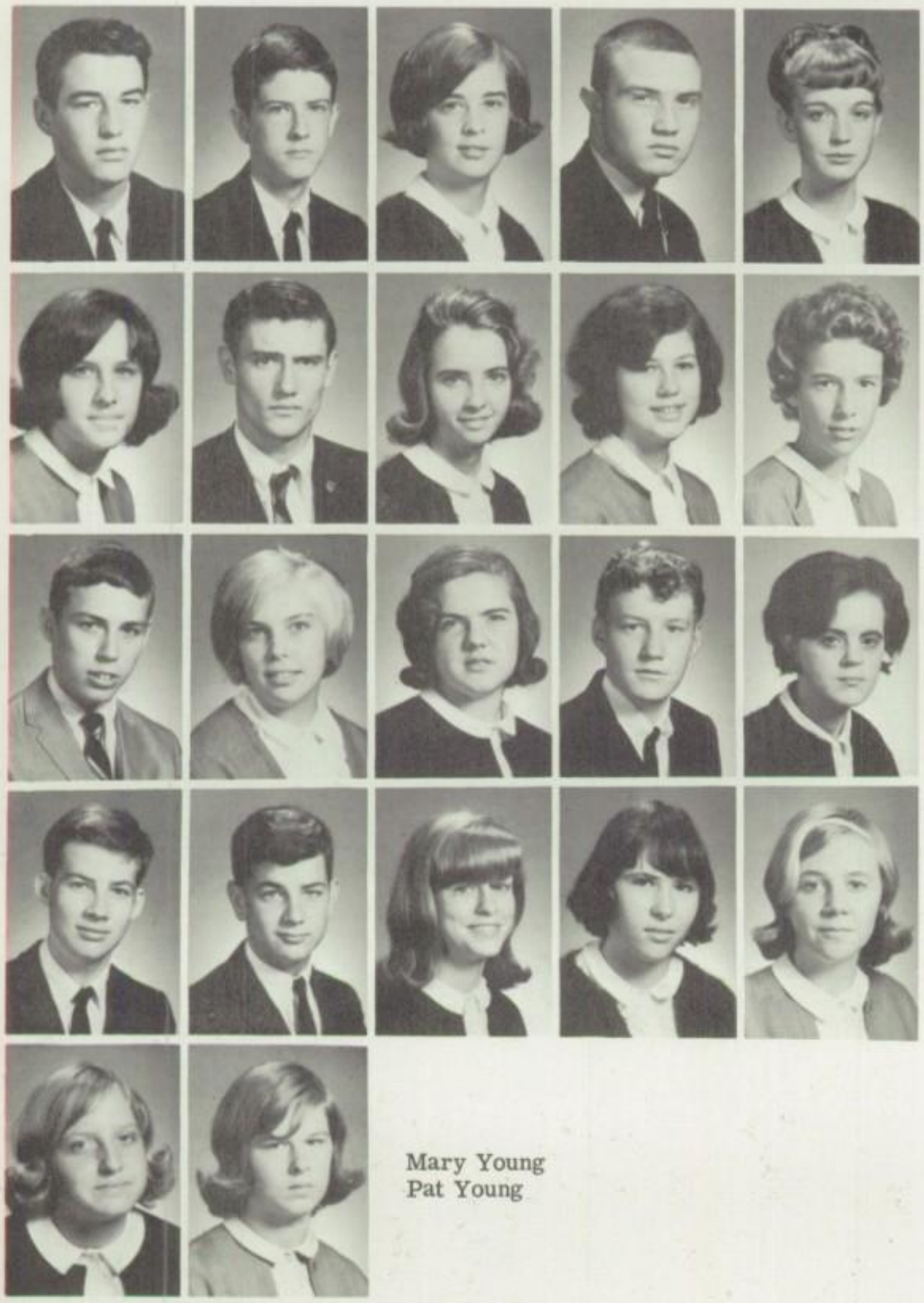
Nancy Plott
Connie Powell
Ruth Puckett
Sammy Purdy
Lynwood Ramsey

Regina Ramsey
Jacquline Raye
Glenda Reeves
Linda Reeves
Cheryl Rorrer

Dallas Scott
Judy Self
Clara Shelton
Eugene Slate
Larry Smith



Sophomores Look Forward To The Coming Years



Mike Smith
Ronnie Smith
Jo Stafford
Dwight Stone
Kathy Stowe

Brenda Thompson
Steve Thomas Tilley
Temple Turner
Virginia Turner
Darlene Underwood

Dickie Walmsley
Ellen Walmsley
Kaye Ward
Jerry Washburn
Shirley Weaver

Alan Williams
Mike Williams
Louise Wilson
Gloria Wood
Gale Young

Mary Young
Pat Young

Class officers (from left to right): Treasurer-Lee Collins, Vice President-Donnie Doss, President-Donna Anderson, Secretary-Connie Witt (not pictured).

Freshman Class

Class motto:
Hitch your wagon to a star.

Class flower:
Daisy

Class colors:
Red and gold

Betty Adams
Donna Anderson
Lena Arrington
Roger Arrington

Velma Barner
Rick Barbour
Kenneth Barrow
Dee Dee Bing

Amy Bowman
Darlene Bryant
Jerry Bryson
Michael Byrd

Gaynelle Cannady
Lonie Cannady
Valerie Casey
Deborah Cassady

Danny Cassell
Terry Chitwood

Donnie Clark
Bonnie Cline

Betsy Coleman
Irma Coleman

Lee Collins
Elizabeth Cooper

Judy Conner
Donnie Craig
Estelle Craig
Lynn Craig

Donna Daniel
Susan Davis
Lottie Dillard
Mike Dodson

Velma Dodson
Roger Dollarhite
Donnie Doss
Brenda Draper

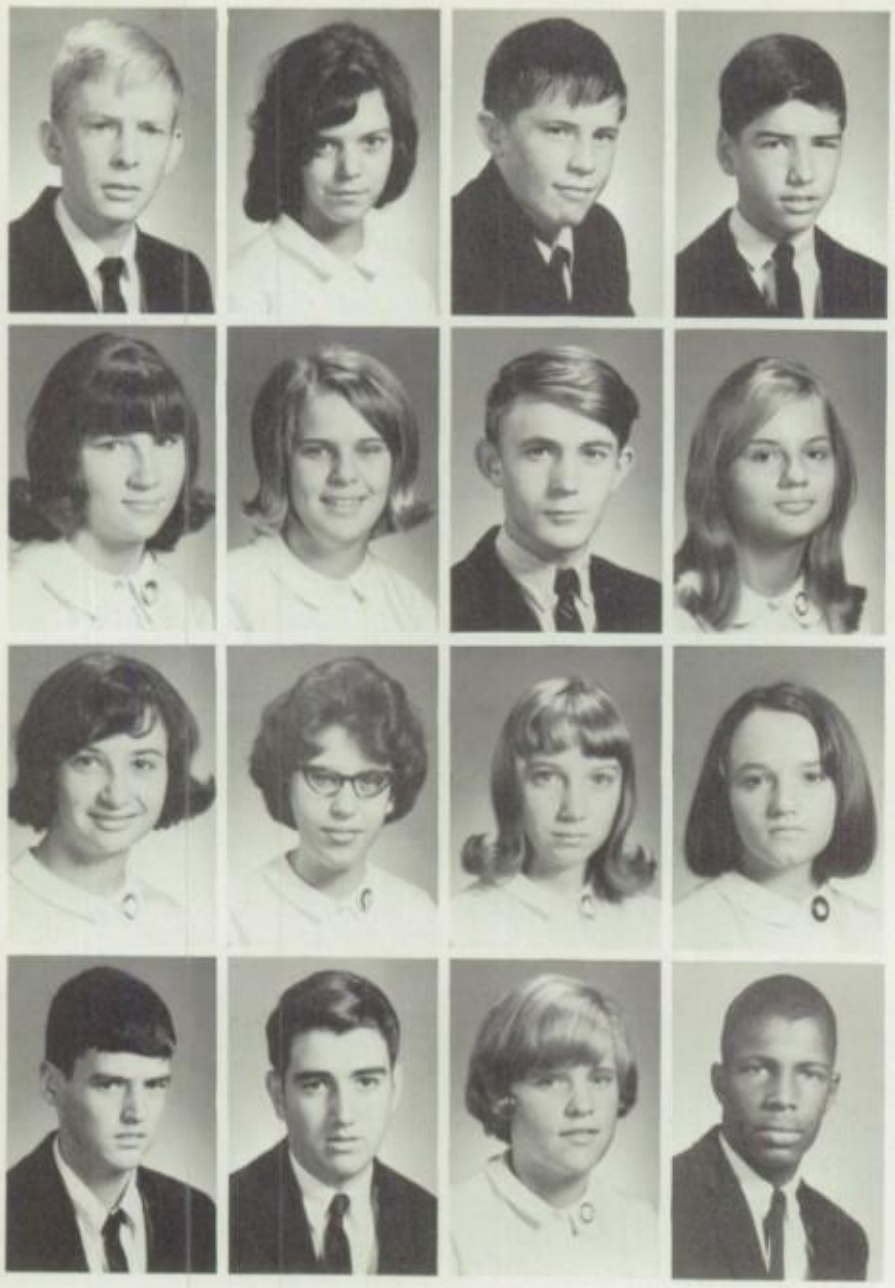
Melonie Dyer
Rosa Edwards
Edward Eggleston
Linda Ferguson

Thelma Foley
Eadie Franklin

Jill Gottshall
Brenda Guilliams

Mike Haley
Pat Haley

Judy Hall
Linda Hall



Larry Handy
Karen Harrell
Donald Haynes
Eddie Haynes

Dorothy Hazelwood
Deborah Hite
Melvin Hodges
Patricia Hollandsworth

Jean Hopkins
Frances Hylton
Betty Jo Jones
Shirley Joyce

Buddy Justice
Donald Koger
Deborah Koontz
Oferiel Largin

Freshmen Gain Class Status, As They

With a year's experience behind them, the Freshmen class looked forward to this year. They were no longer the youngest class in school, and felt much more important than before. Much of their time is absorbed in school activities. Many of the boys gained J. V. experience, and have a fine background for future varsity sports. Several of the girls represented the Freshman class on the J. V. cheer squad. They are already looking forward to the future with thoughts of happiness and excitement.

Deborah Law
Danny Lawson
Linda Love
Bernard Manns

Roxie Manns
Lois Martin
Michael Martin
Pamela Martin

Carol Maxey
Keith McGuire
Kenneth McMillan
Jerry Merriman

Nellie Minnick
Carolyn Moore
Eddie Moran
Gary Morris

Are No Longer "Green Eighth Graders"

Freshmen boys practice basketball relays during P.E. class. Some of these boys plan to play varsity ball in the future.

Rosemary Neely
Bobby Nelson
Dean Nelson
Naomi Nelson

Elaine Newman
Brenda Pace
Richie Pack
Nancy Parnell

Donnie Price
Pat Price
Tommy Prillaman
Diana Puckett

Leonard Puckett
Jo Ann Purdy
Kirk Purdy
Stanley Quisenberry

Calvin Ramsey
Danny Ramsey

Jimmy Reynolds
Betty Richards

Karen Rorrer
Marie Saul

Brenda Seay
Donald Sebastian

Danny Setliff
Kathy Setliff
Linda Sessor
Doris Scott

Chuck Shelton
Clarence Shelton
Johnny Shelton
Mary Shelton

Harold Shively
Minnie Lou Shively
Mona Simmons
Martha Stone

Ester Smith
Gary Smith
Kathy Smith
Terry Smith

Brenda Southhall
Jim Spencer

Ronnie Spencer
James Stanley

Tommy Stanley
Patricia Stevens

Lovetta Stone
Mary Ann Stone

Sharon Stone
Ann Taylor
Larry Thomas
Donna Tilley

Martha Turner
Brenda Vass
Roger Washburn
Mike Watkins

Esther Whisnant
Jim Whisnant
Bobby White
Gary Whitlock

Brenda Williams
Albert Wilson
Joel Wilson
Connie Witt

Richie Pack helps on the sidelines.

Anthony Woods

Marcia Woods

Linda Witt

Belinda Wright
Barbara Young

Class officers (from left to right): Treasurer-Peggy Ruth Teegen, Secretary-Rhonda Plott, President-Mike Maxey, Vice President-Jan Rose Adams.

Eighth Grade Class

Class motto:
Remember the past, live for today, and look to the future.

Class Colors:
Red and white

Class flower:
Lily

Janrose Adams
Sandra Adams
Wanda Adams
Booker Adkins
Wanda Adkins

Wildon Adkins
Dawson Akridge
Sheila Arnold
Michael Ashworth
Linda Auborne

Connie Barden
Roger Belle
Angie Benfield
Brenda Blankenship
Eddie Boyd

Randell Boyd
Bonnie Brogan
Ramona Brooks
Danny Brown
Doug Bryant

Eighth Graders Enter Our School

Joe Burnett
Gilda Cannady
Leon Cannady
Joe Carter
Dorothy Cassell

Martha Cassell
Mike Cassell
Teddy Cassell
Judy Catron
Kenneth Ceciel

Herbert Chaney
Mike Chitwood
Gayle Clark
Joan Clark
Karen Clark

Betty Clifton
G. W. Cobler
Pauline Cole
Ricky Coleman
Margaret Cox

Lonnie Craig
Roger Craig
Ronnie Craig
Patsy Crawford
Brenda Crook

Bertha Daniel
David Deal
Constance Dillard
Linda Divers
Carleen Draper

With Wide Eyes And Many Dreams

Eighth graders find that study hall is also an important part of B.H.S. --A place for catching up with the fast pace.

Brenda Dunford
Winifred Easley
Mary Edmonds
Naomi Edwards
Leon Fralin

Linda Franklin
Sandra Fulcher
Jackie Gammans
Wanda Griffin
Katie Grogan

Patricia Hall
Sharon Hall
Denise Handy
Gary Hairston
Ronald Hairston

Terry Hairston
Sylvia Harmon
Margaret Harris
Bonnie Hawkins
Douglas Haynes

Eighth Graders Find It Easy

Eighth graders show enthusiasm in all phases of school life. Their talent in the band proved to be an asset.

Eighth grade English students hear records in their literature lesson.

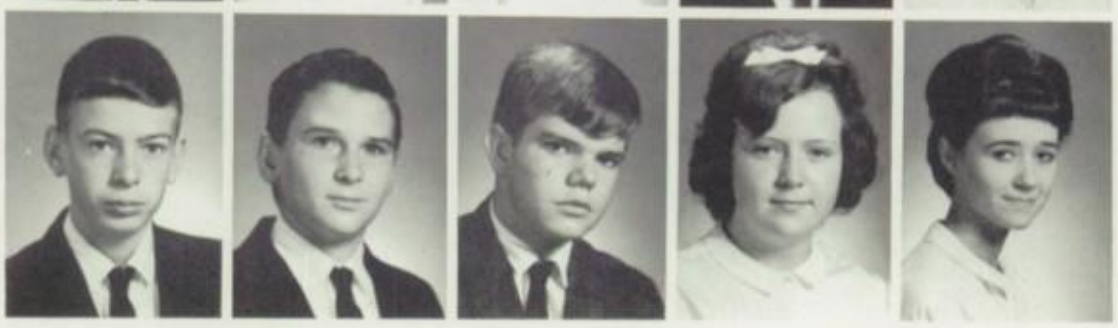
Diane Helms
Wayne Helms
Bonnie Hodges
Dorothy Hodges
Jeanette Hodges

Mike Hodges
Tracy Hodges
Ronnie Horten
Mary Hubbard
Mattie Hubbard

To Get Into The Swing Of Things

Frankie Hundley
Frances Ingram
Betty Isom
Cleven Janey
Judy Johnson

Jerry Joyce
Jimmy Joyce
Jimmy Lee Joyce
Frances Kendrick
Mary Key



Dusty Krontz
Sherry LaRue
Barbara Lawson
Jimmy Lawson
Douglas Lenviel

David Lovell
Dianne Lovell
Jesse Lovell
Kerry Mabe
James Manns

The class of 1970 has a long way to go before it finishes high school, but it has made a grand start. Full of pep and spirit, the eighth graders entered Bassett High. Before, they had looked longingly at the high school students. Now, at last they were part of it themselves. It took most of them quite a while to adjust to life at B.H.S., especially in making it to class on time without getting lost. Classes, too, were found to be much different from what they had had at grade school. The happiest part of being in high school was the weekends, which brought games and parties to which they could really belong. For them, this year has brought many new experiences which they will long remember.

Testing Programs Bring A Less

Brenda Martin
Juanita Martin
Jerry Martin
June Martin
Ivonne Martin

Mike Maxey
Mike Mayes
Mora Medley
Philip Mitchell
Dennis Monley

Elmas Moore
Larry Moran
Donald Mullins
Danny McCoy
Georgia McCracken

Linda McMillan
Betty Neaves
Pat Neaves
Linda Nester
Yvonne Newman

Mr. Johnson lectures to his eighth grade history students.

Pleasing Side To Eighth Grade Life

Peggy Nolan
Carolyn Norman
Equilla Norman
Clyde Nunn
David Osbourne

Linda Pack
Johnny Pankovich
Phyllis Pannell
Evelyn Perdue
Lester Perdue

Eighth grade girls get a good workout in P. E.

Ball Games And Parties Bring

Debbie Peters
Betty Pierce
Debbie Plaster
Rhonda Plott
Michael Preston

Brenda Prillaman
Becky Privette
Angela Prickett
Linda Rae
Mike Ramsey

Neil Ramsey
Thomas Ramsey
Judy Ring
Frankie Rivers
Jewel Robertson

Debbie Rogers
Becky Rorrer
Brenda Saul
Linda Saul
Mary Ann Sayers

Mary Scott
Carolyn Seay
Frances Severn
Robert Sheppard
Charles Sigmon

Barbara Smith
Brenda Smith
Cathy Smith
Mary Smith
Wayne Southall

New And Exciting Experiences

Yvonne Spencer
Donnie Stevens
Martha Stewart
Ronnie Stone
Larry Stoneman

Peggy Teegen and Brenda Smith find Mrs. Goodman's guidance helpful in school problems.

Brenda Stultz
Gayle Sturgill
Bonnie Terry
Peggy Teegen
William Thomas

Arvin Tolbert
Keith Trantham
Terry Triplett
Judy Turner
Patricia Turner

Tim Turner
Walter Turner
Frances Varner
Mike Varner
Barbara Vernon

Butch Via
Billy Wagner
Danny Walker
Butch Weaver
Ruby Jean Weaver

Soon They Will Have A Name—Freshmen

Wanda White
Joe Willard
Gary Willis
Deborah Wood
Joan Woods

Beth Woody
Nancy Wray
Becky Wright
Donna Young

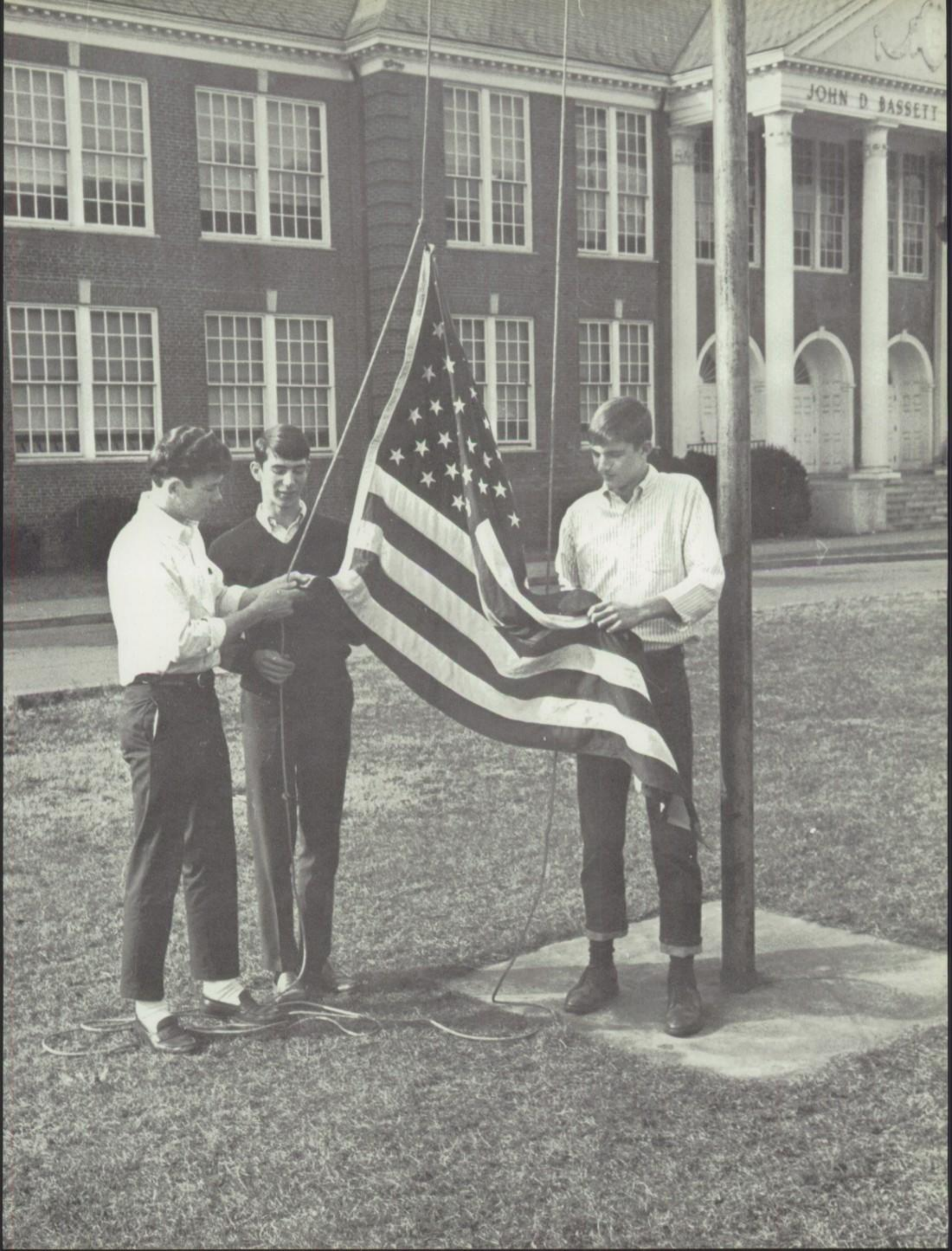
Classes, ball games, pep rallies, assemblies, lunch. Yes, these are but a few of the many aspects of school life that mean happiness for the Bassett High students. The eighth graders hesitantly enter the portals of B.H.S., but after a year of new experiences and new friends, they too feel as if they belong. In the ninth and tenth grades, happiness means joining clubs and participating in sports. As they near their final year, the Juniors proudly present the annual Junior-Senior Prom. It is also the time for the much awaited class rings. At last, the Seniors sadly look back over the years and reminisce. To them happiness is memories.

Although the classes have their individual adventures and special memories, they still find harmony and pride as one group--the student body of B.H.S. As "Here beside the quiet river" floats through the air, happiness is oneness.

Happiness Is Belonging

Happiness is the full use of your powers along lines of excellence in a life affording scope.

John F. Kennedy


JOHN D BASSETT

Mike Hodges, Harold Via. FIRST ROW: Helen Jo Pegram, Judy Park, Terry Trantham, Janice Martin, Jody Mozick, Boozie Rhodes. SECOND ROW: Lucy Scoggin, Retta Sabow, Sarah Mitchell, Janet Turner, Bobbi Hite, Kermeen Cooper. THIRD ROW: Carl Craddock, Morgan Armstrong, Rodney Smith, Keith Stone, Darby Cox.

S. C. A. Unites Student Body

Rodney DeHart, Donnie Clark. FIRST ROW: Virginia Ramsey, Kathy Smith, Kathy Setliff, Peggy Teegen, Karen Clarke, Joy Gottshall, Glenda Parr, Judy Akers, Judy Self. SECOND ROW: Donna Anderson, Debbie Peters, Tracy Hodges, Joe Carter, Deborah Hite, Tommy Cobb, Sandra Atkins, Diane Arrington, Barbara Young, Chuck Shelton.

S.C.A. Officers: Historian, Kathy Setliff; Treasurer, Laura Atkins; Co-Presidents, Harold Via and Mike Hodges; Vice-President, Darby Cox; Secretary, Sandra Atkins; Sponsor, Miss Betty Webb.

In Cooperative Effort

The aim of the S. C. A. is to coordinate the student body, the administration, and the community in order to develop a feeling of unity.

Every student in high school is a member of the S. C. A. and as such is automatically an ambassador for the school where ever he may go. Among the activities are Madonna, Ideal Girl Contest, Club of the Year Award, Eighth Grade Handbook, Presidents Club, Christmas Cheer, and all school elections.

The S. C. A. of B. H. S. is recognized by the State Organization as an accredited member.

Monitoring in the halls is another important project of the S.C.A. This is an aid to the faculty as well as the student body.

Officers: Vice-President, Judy Lawrence; President, Boozie Rhodes; Secretary, Judy Eanes; Treasurer, Jody Mozick. Officers and sponsors organized an installation of the charter members.

The National Honor Society was established for the first time this year. The newly organized club is to recognize those of outstanding academic achievement.

The object of this chapter is to create an enthusiasm for scholarship, to stimulate a desire to render service, to promote worthy leadership, and to encourage the development of character in students of John D. Bassett High School.

Membership requires a 92 average, and is based on Scholarship, Service, Leadership, and Character.

National Honor Society Is Organized

FIRST ROW: Judy Park, Mary White, Darlene Wright, Linda Atkins, Judy Lawrence. SECOND ROW: Betty Martin, Jetti Turner, Cheryl Gale, Judy Eanes, Sarah Lipford. THIRD ROW: Mrs. Pigg, Dana Miles, Jody Mozick, Madeline Washburn, Mrs. Goodman. FOURTH ROW: Bobbi Hite, Lucy Anne Scoggin, Sandra Brown, Sarah Mitchell, Betty Rhodes. FIFTH ROW: Mrs. Woody, Carl Goode, Harold Via, Keith Stone, Mr. Joyce.

FIRST: CLASS EDITORS, Peggy Ruth Teegen, 8th grade; Mary McClellan, 10th grade; Susan Miles, 9th grade; (not pictured) Sandra Brown, Senior. SECOND: CLUB, Judy Lawrence; CIRCULATION, Morgan Armstrong; BUSINESS, Judy Park; ART, Kathy Amandolia. THIRD: ART, Johnny Stafford; PHOTOGRAPHY, Danny Martin; ASSISTANT EDITOR, Mary Alice White; SPORTS, Boozie Rhodes. FOURTH: EDITOR-IN-CHIEF, Lucy Anne Scoggin; JUNIOR CLASS EDITOR, Keith Stone; FEATURES, Sarah Mitchell; FACULTY, Retta Sabow.

Annual Staff Produces Timber Tints

The 1966 TIMBER TINTS staff began its work early with the aim of a successful job. Each member contributed to the final results. With copy to write, pictures to take, and layout to draw, the staff kept busy all year.

Mr. Keith Van Dyke devoted much of his time to the photography which went into our book. Mr. Gerald Byrd gave us his help as our sponsor. Instituting new ideas and determination, the annual staff presents the 1966 TIMBER TINTS.

(Assistant Editor) Mary White, (Editor) Lucy Scoggin, and (Sponsor) Mr. Byrd plan page layouts.

FIRST ROW: Janrose Adams, Katie Grogan, Wanda Atkins, Joy Gottshall, Sharon Hancock, Debbie Plaster, Mary Edmonds, Phyllis Pannell, Faye Atkins, Jerona Pace. SECOND ROW: Naomi Edwards, Sandra Fulcher, Linda Franklin, Karen Clarke, Elizabeth Cooper, Shelia Davis, Sally Craig, Sandra Martin, Lena Pannell, Regina Manns, Barbara Young, Rozie Manns. THIRD ROW: Deborah Rogers, Rosemary Neely, Bonita Bryant, Collette Watkins, Winifred Easley, Brenda Draper, Bonnie Brogan, Linda Saul, Sandra Adams, Mora Medley. FOURTH ROW: Cheryl Rorrer, Darlene Bryant, Pam Martin, Lovetta Stone, Bonnie Cline, Peggy Teegen, Equilla Norman, Mary Shelton, Betty Neaves, Bonnie Hodges.

G. A. A. Provides Athletics For Girls

Officers: President, Joy Gottshall; Vice-President, Sharon Hancock; Secretary, Barbara Young; Treasurer, Equilla Norman; Score-Keeper, Sally Craig; Sponsor, Mrs. DeVault.

The Girls Athletic Association is an organization for all girls interested in sports. Its aim is to promote team and individual sports through intramural competition. The girls have participated in county-wide play days and represented B. H. S. very well. Varsity and Jr. Varsity Basketball teams are chosen each year to compete with other county schools.

The G. A. A. is a purposeful organization for girls on the go!

FIRST ROW: J. W. Bryant, Clinton Conner, Ronnie Wray, Willie Adams, Randy Keyes, John Koger, Larry Stone, Roger Potter. SECOND ROW: Paul Ashley, David Lawless, Darrell Martin, Jesse Crawford, Wills Clark, Joe Ashby, Lee Philpott, Raymond Odum. THIRD ROW: Paul Cassell, Wayne Ramsey, Wayne Newman, Alex Cassady, Thurman Preston, Sammy Purdy, Mike Hodges. FOURTH ROW: David Hoyce, Bernard Joyce, George Philpott, Barry Hollandsworth, Danny Hollandsworth, Danny Robertson, Rodney Howell, Ken Mullins, Eddie Fulcher, George Rea, Howard Corns. FIFTH ROW: James Rakes, Joe Lenviel, Vern Wood, Rodney Smith, Tim Setliff, Mike Moore, Thornton Cockram, Lonnie Adams, Jerry Martin.

The Fire Fighters are prepared at any time to aid the local fire department in any emergency. They are sponsored by Mr. Charles Ferris. Preparation day at Philpott Dam taught them the necessities in fire prevention.

Fire Fighters Aid Community; 4-H Stimulates Agricultural Interests

FIRST ROW: Joel Wilson, Mike Lawrence, Roger Mitchell, Smokey Pack, Larry Stone, Danny Setliff. SECOND ROW: Alan Cobler, Charles Lemons, Mike Anderson, Darryl Kilby, Wesley Stroop, Richard Pack, Jesse Crawford. THIRD ROW: Russell Newman, David Ashby, John Koger.

Officers: Sponsor, Mr. Micklem; President, Carl Craddock; Vice President, Lee Philpott; Secretary, Sarah Lipford; Treasurer, Bobbi Hite; Sponsor, Mr. Leftwich.

Anyone who has earned a varsity letter in an athletic activity is eligible for the Monogram Club if he or she can survive the traditional initiation. Sponsored by the coaches, the Monogram Club works to promote better sportsmanship and school spirit.

Among useful projects this year, the club sponsored two cheerleaders to a summer cheer camp, supplied money for the purchase of athletic equipment, and provided gifts for needy children at Christmas time.

Climaxing the year, members enjoyed the annual hayride and picnic.

Monogram Club Builds Sports And Spirit

FIRST ROW: Jesse Crawford, Joe Ashby, Raymond Odum, Tim Shively, Richard Bower, David Ashby. SECOND ROW: Judy Park, Ray Goins, Clinton Conner, Sonny Cassady, Cheryl Gale, Sarah Mitchell, Lee Philpott. THIRD ROW: Retta Sabow, Terry Trantham, Alan Cobler, David Doss, Danny Robertson, Wesley Stroop, Donnie Clark, Bobbi Hite. FOURTH ROW: Palmer Lowery, Dwight Stone, Dane Ramsey, Terry Cundiff, Larry Fulcher, Barry Hollandsworth, Vern Wood, David Maddox, Donnie Doss, Doug Ingram.

The Junior Science Club consists of eighth and ninth graders. It is sponsored by the Science teachers at B.H.S. The officers are President, Karen Clarke; Vice-President, Janrose Adams; Secretary, Brenda Saul; and Treasurer, Peggy Teegen.

The Science Club sponsored several projects throughout the year. The hopes of the club are to encourage more students to become interested in science.

Student Interest Grows In Science

FIRST ROW: Mr. Lamdin, Mr. Morgan, Ricky Coleman, June Martin, Joan Wood. SECOND ROW: Mr. Clifton, David Lovell, Brenda Martin, Dorothy Hodges, Yvonne Martin. THIRD ROW: Sandra Adams, Naomi Edwards, Kenneth Cecil, Janrose Adams, Karen Clarke. FOURTH ROW: Brenda Saul, Danny Walker, Peggy Teegen, Brenda Smith, Linda Saul.

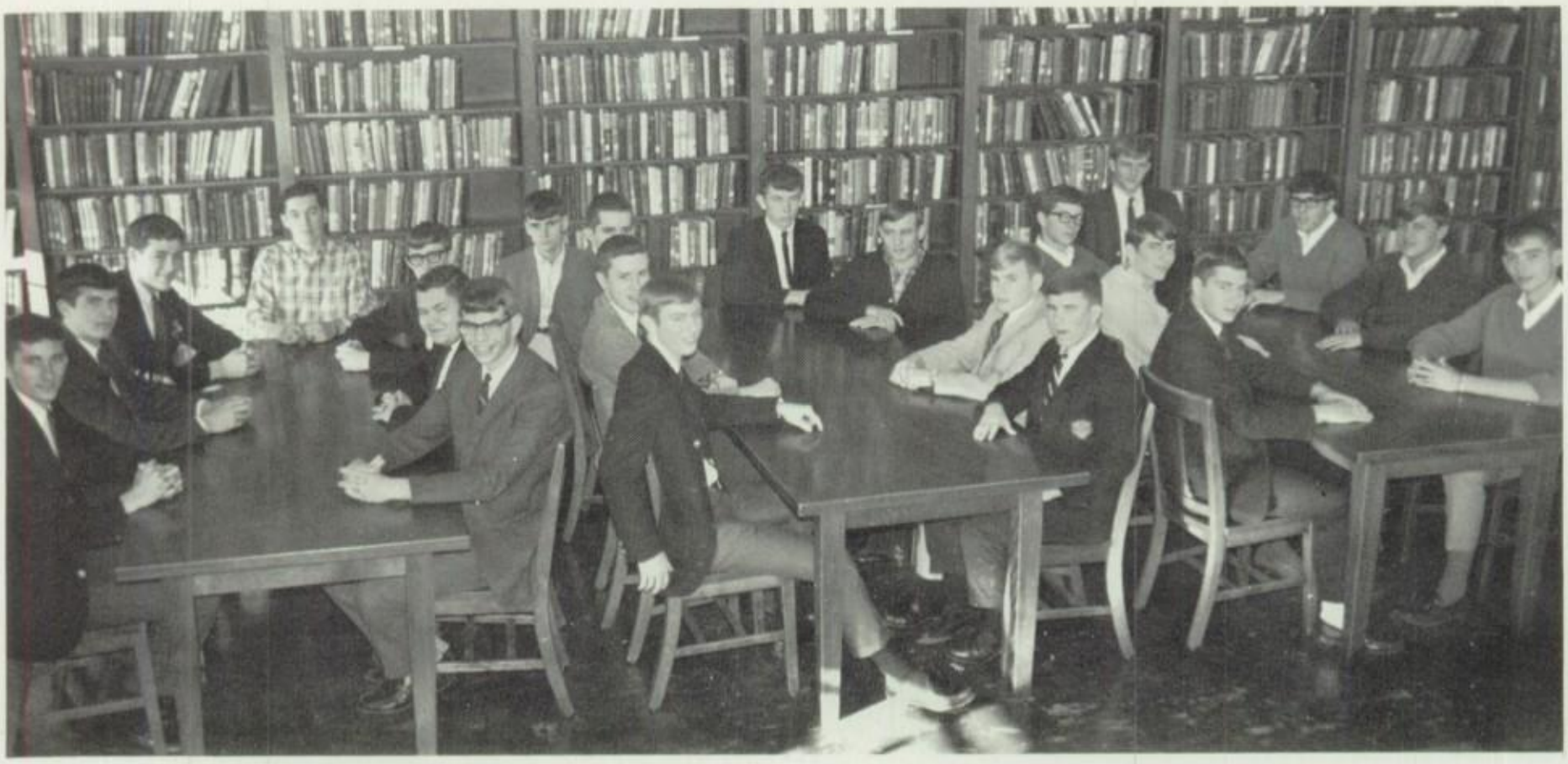


TABLE ONE: L. J. Kilby, Darrell Martin, Richard Bower, Carl Goode, Larry Fulcher, David Lawless, Roy Lemons. TABLE TWO: Kenneth Smith, John Draper, Jimmy Joyce, George Philpott, Jimmy Young, Larry Carter, Ronnie Wray, Dane Ramsey. TABLE THREE: Gary Hollandsworth, Barry Hollandsworth, Lee Philpott, Keith Stone, Ray Goins, Wills Clark, Rodney Smith.

Key Club Builds Character

President Keith sums up the club's work at assembly.

The Key Club is a service club designed to instill in young men the desire to serve one's God, country, community, and school. Sponsored by the area Kiwanis Club, the Key Club ever strives to build character. This year the club began its session with a big initiation. New members, garbed in coats and ties, literally served as "slaves" to old members. The total membership now reaches 29.

Key Clubbers attended church together, sponsored a needy family, and worked hard to build a float dedicated to our soldiers in Viet Nam. Throughout the year, the Key Club has worked hard to make Bassett High a better place to learn and Bassett a better place to live.

KEY CLUB OFFICERS

Lee Philpott--Vice-President; Keith Stone--President; Carl Goode--Secretary-Treasurer; Mr. Colbert Micklem--Sponsor; Darrell Martin and Ray Goins--Parliamentarians; Larry Carter--Song Leader.

And Serves Community

One of the duties of the Key Club is to sell ice cream after school.

Officers: President, G. W. Gusler; Vice-President, Jeannie Joyce; Secretary, Judy Gammons; Treasurer, Tim Setliff; Parliamentarian, Kenneth Holt; Historian, Danny Martin, and Mr. Scott.

The Distributive Educational Club is designed with the student in mind. The club aids greatly in preparing the student for full time employment in occupations which they may choose to take up after school. Under the capable leadership of Mr. H. H. Scott, the students learn proper selling techniques which they apply to their different occupations at their employment station.

The 27 members of the club earned more than $40,000 and learned skills in 24 different occupations.

Members of the club attended the District Convention on February 23, in Altavista, Va. and walked away with many honors from the different contests. Members also attended the State Convention on April 1 and 2 in Arlington, Va. and aided in selecting state D.E.C.A. officers. The D.E. club at Bassett has helped students along the road to success for many years and will continue to do so as long as our students will continue to strive to meet the fast moving standards of our ever-changing modern world.

The D.E. Club Gains Valuable Experience In Salesmanship

FIRST TABLE: Sandra Sebastian, Sandra Franklin, Tim Setliff, Clifford Saul, Danny Martin, Jeannie Joyce, Rachel Whisnant, Lynn Setliff. SECOND TABLE: Clara Meeks, Jean Cassell, Sandra Roberson, Judy Gammons, Hazel Minter, Sammy Adams, Bobby Stultz, Kenneth Holt. STANDING: G. W. Gusler, Dane Ramsey, Richie Clements, Donna Joyce, Bobby Lewis, Neil Bullard, Sammy Joyce, Robert Williams, Kenneth Spencer, Junior Parker.

FIRST TABLE: Clifton Mayes, Richard Stout, Aaron Keen, Chester Wright, Raymond Odom, Bobby Craig, David McDaniels, David Keaton. SECOND TABLE: Joyce Terry, Francis Dodson, Richard Spencer, Larry Crotts, Linda Ratliff, Maxine Stone, Roger Nester, Clifford Atkins. STANDING: Leon Mitchell, Ronnie Joyce, Larry Cannaday, Kenneth Greer, Mike Hodges, Roger Craig, James Edwards, Jerry Puckett, Jimmy Hall.

I. C. T. Trains For Industrial Occupations

Officers: Reporter, Jimmy Hall; Secretary, Joyce Terry; Vice-President, Mike Hodges; Parliamentarian, David Keaton; Treasurer, Linda Ratliff; Co-ordinator, Mr. Frith; President, Clifton Mayes.

The Industrial Cooperative Training Program is a plan for implementing the training resources of the school and the community. It is an arrangement between business, industrial, and professional establishments in the community and the public high school whereby the establishments furnish part-time employments and training to students during school hours and the school furnishes the technical subject matter related to the occupation.

The club objectives are to promote student participation in educational, social, recreational, and vocational activities.

Each year the club meets with other schools throughout the state for competition in District and State Awards. Last year the club won ten district and four state awards. This year the I.C.T. students will travel to Arlington, Va. to compete for awards at the Annual State Convention. Also the I.C.T. Club tied with the Cheer Club for the annual club of the year award at Bassett High School.

Officers: President, Janice Martin; Vice-President, Jackie Spencer; Secretary, Brenda Sheppard; Treasurer, Dale Hylton; Historians, Sylvia Cundiff, Joyce Sheppard; Song Leader Sandra Martin; Advisors, Mrs. Clifton, Mrs. Coates.

The Future Homemakers of America is an organization established to prepare girls for their future as homemakers. Through the F.H.A., girls learn to accept their responsibilities in home and community life. Our club has many activities which help the community around us. Our main projects this year are "Individuality Counts" and "Morals and Manners Matter." Through these projects, our club is learning to be an individual when an individual is needed and the importance of morals and manners.

Our club colors are red and white with the red rose as our flower. Our motto is "Toward New Horizons." Our emblem shows a home in the hands of a youth. This stands for the fact that the future homes are in the hands of today's teen-agers and through the F.H.A., the teen-age girls are learning ways to make the future homes better.

The F.H.A. Introduces Girls To Homemaking

FIRST ROW: Bertha Daniels, Eadie Franklin, Judy Akers, Betty Colston, Linda Ferguson, Shelia Davis. SECOND ROW: Jackie Spencer, Sylvia Cundiff, Janice Martin, Dale Hylton, Brenda Sheppard, Sandra Martin. THIRD ROW: Pat Hodges, Ann Prillaman, Judy McBride, Donnice Handy, Gaynell Cannady, Virginia Hodges, Anita Bullock, Judy Mathena, Judy Ingram, Betty Hundley, Kathy Stowe, Patricia Hollandsworth.

FIRST TABLE: Marie Joyce, Suzanne Carmody, Bonnie Tilley, Dianne Arrington, Gay Adkins, Patricia Stevens, Judy Akers.
SECOND TABLE: Barbara Vernon, Linda Ferguson, Lena Arrington, Mrs. Bryant, Sponsor, Yvonne Martin, Frances Hylton, Wanda Adkins.

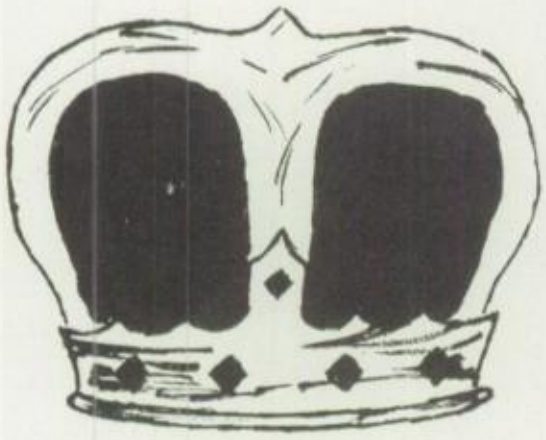
The Library Club Members Aid Other Students

The Library Club of the John D. Bassett High School is made up of thirteen members, each of whom serves as an assistant for one hour daily throughout the school year.

The aim of the club, stated simply, is to improve the school by helping to make the library better serve the needs of all of the pupils.

The club earns its money through the sale of school supplies. This year we plan to purchase library books and records, and to add ten more volumes to the set of twelve volumes of the WORLD AND ITS PEOPLE which were purchased last year.

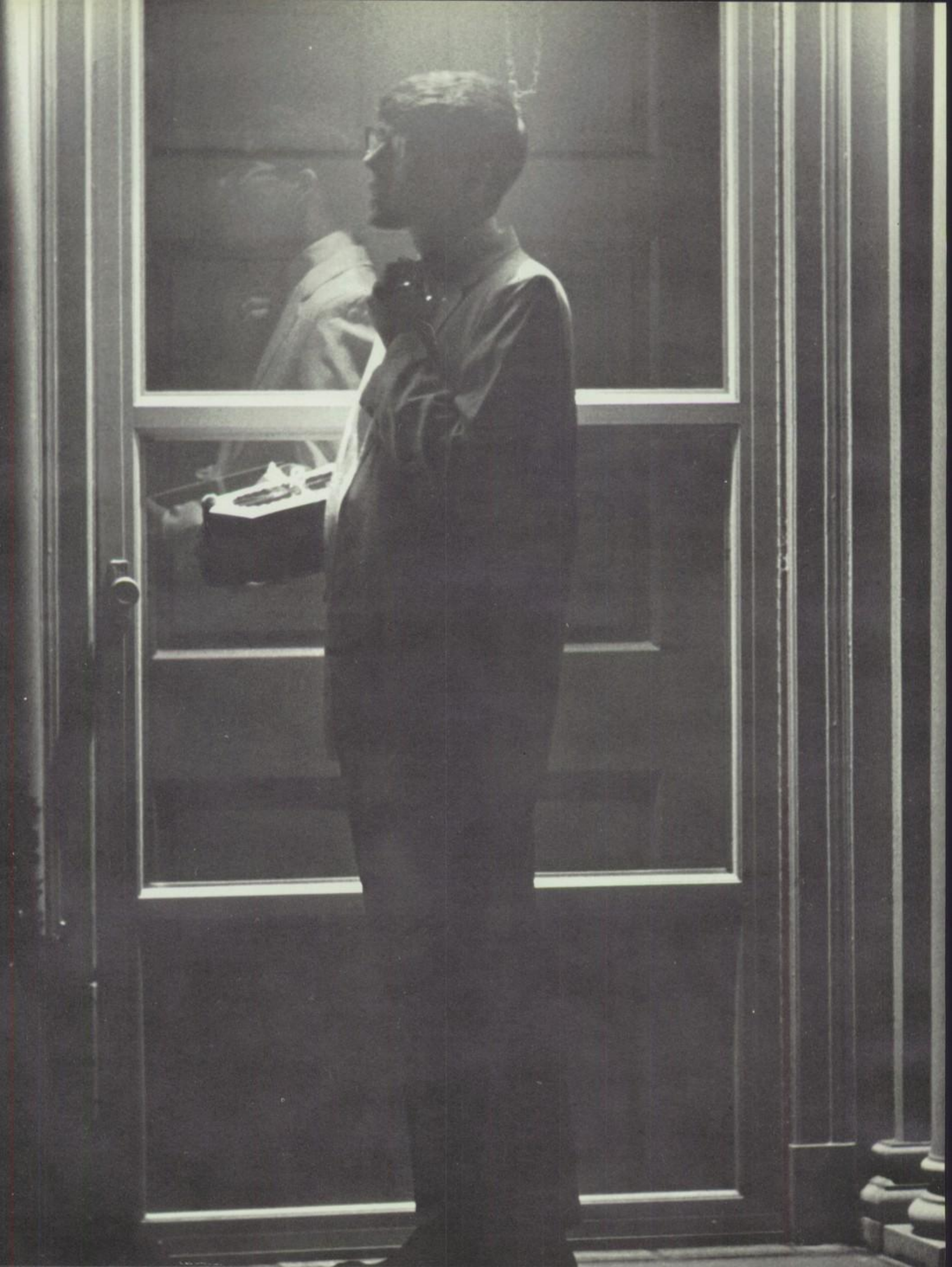
Officers are shown at right: President, Dianne Arrington; Vice-President, Judy Akers; Reporter, Suzanne Carmody; Secretary, Bonnie Tilley; Historian, Lena Arrington.



Happiness Is Honor

In order that people may be happy in their work . . . they must have a sense of success in it . . . whatever the world may say or think about it.

John Ruskin



The awaited moment has arrived.

The hopes and dreams of the Junior Class were realized when they presented "Shangri-La." A good meal was first offered at the banquet and later was climaxed in the oriental background of the prom. It was a night of enchantment and beauty.

Juniors And Seniors Spend

The wishing well takes shape.

The Banquet Hall is quiet before the guests arrive.

Backdrop reflects oriental atmosphere.

Couples await the next song by the band.

Enchanted Night In Shangri-La

Early arrivals take advantage of the uncrowded floor.

The reigning royalty--Ray Goins and Terry Trantham with Maid of Honor, Janet Turner and Knight, Lee Philpott.

Homecoming '65 Brings Two

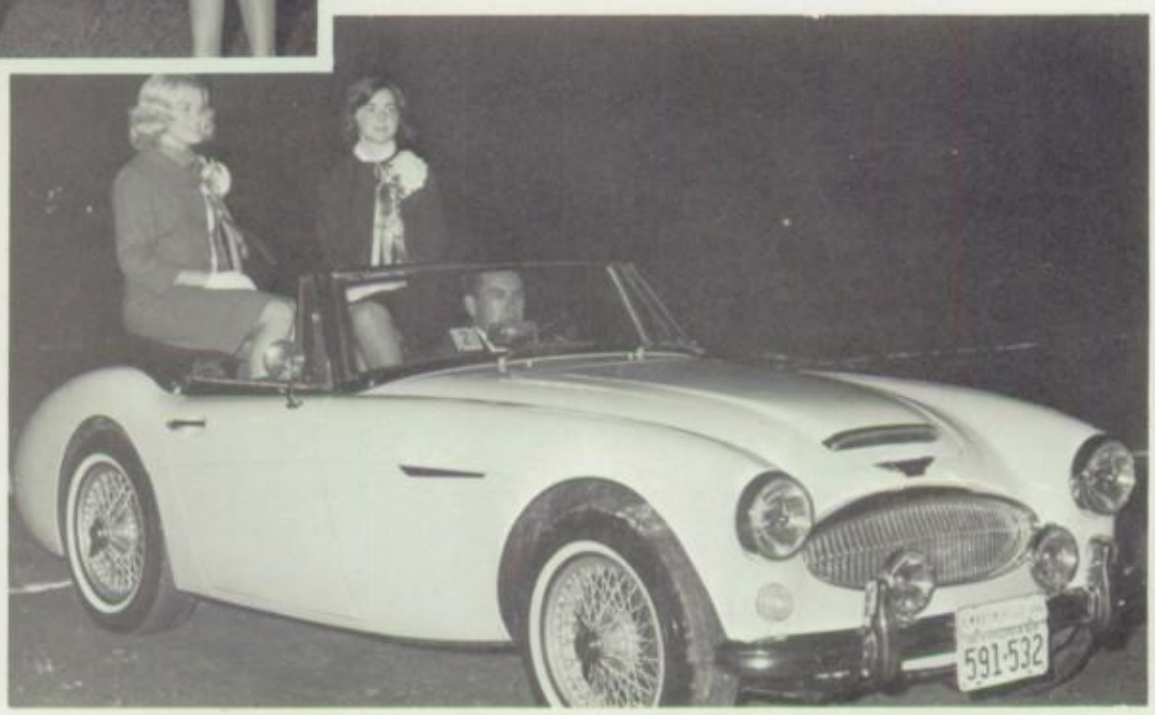
From the moment when the sparklers were lit until the cutting of the victory cake, Homecoming held an air of excitement. Plans were made and executed by the cheerleaders. The Generals provided entertainment for the party and the Candidates provided poise and grace at half-time.

Queen-to-be and candidate Judy Park travel excitedly to the field.

Homecoming Candidates--Bobbi Hite, Sarah Mitchell, Terry Trantham, Darlene Wright, Sarah Lipford, Judy Park, Boozie Rhodes, and Janet Turner.

Victories For Our Queen And Team

Class Representatives--Cheryl Ann Gale-Junior, Brenda Thomasson-Sophomore, Connie Witt-Freshman, and Peggy Ruth Teegan-Eighth Grade.



Darlene and Liferd wait, and wait, and wait . . .

Most Likely to Succeed - Mike Hodges
and Sarah Lipford

Most Courteous - Charles Lemons and
Mary Clements

Senior Superlatives

Best All Around - L. J.
Kilby and Boozie Rhodes

Most Dependable - Morgan Armstrong
and Kermeen Cooper

Most Talented - Charles Hairston and Terry Trantham

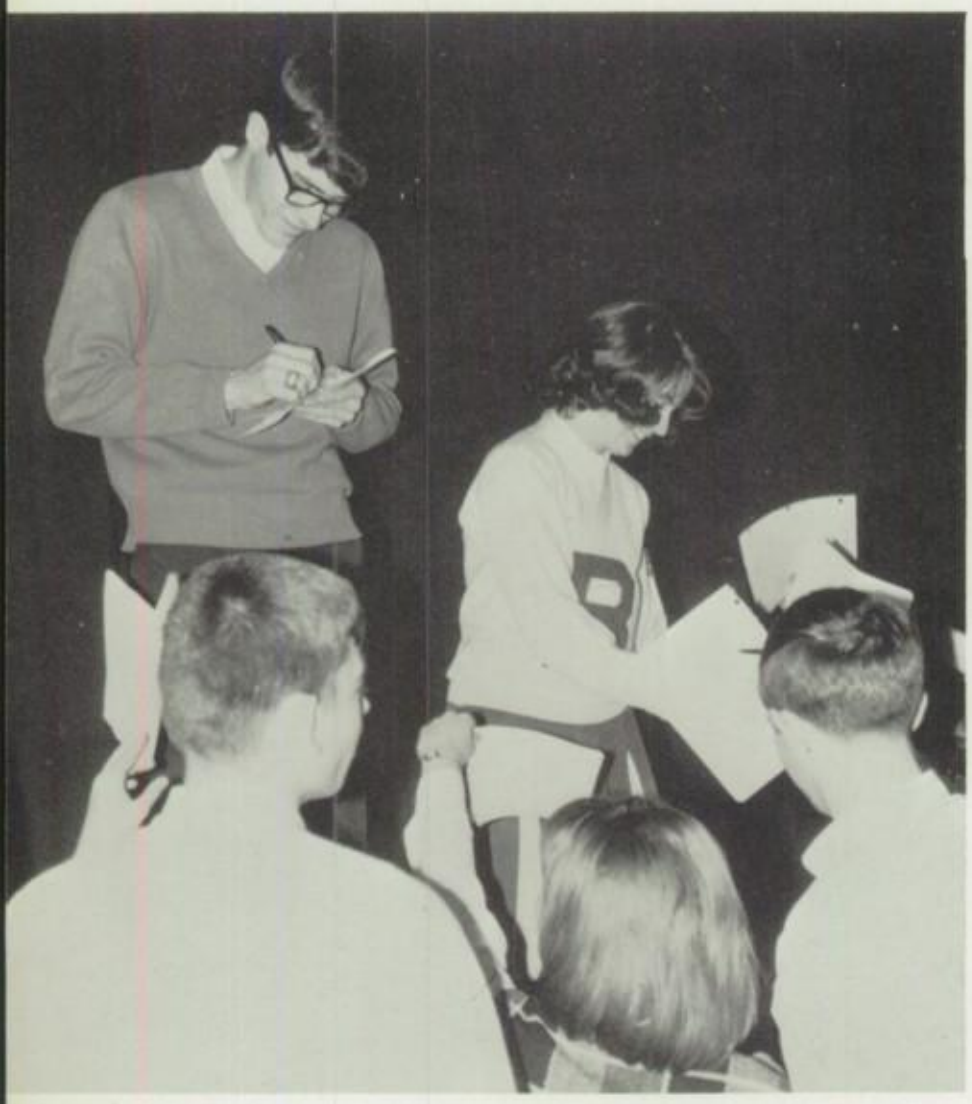
Friendliest - Thurman Preston and Jody Mozick

Most Mischievous - Dodney Smith and Kathy Amandolia

Senior Superlatives

Best Dressed - G. W. Gusler and Nancy Beamer

Most School Spirited - Richie Clements and Bobbi Hite



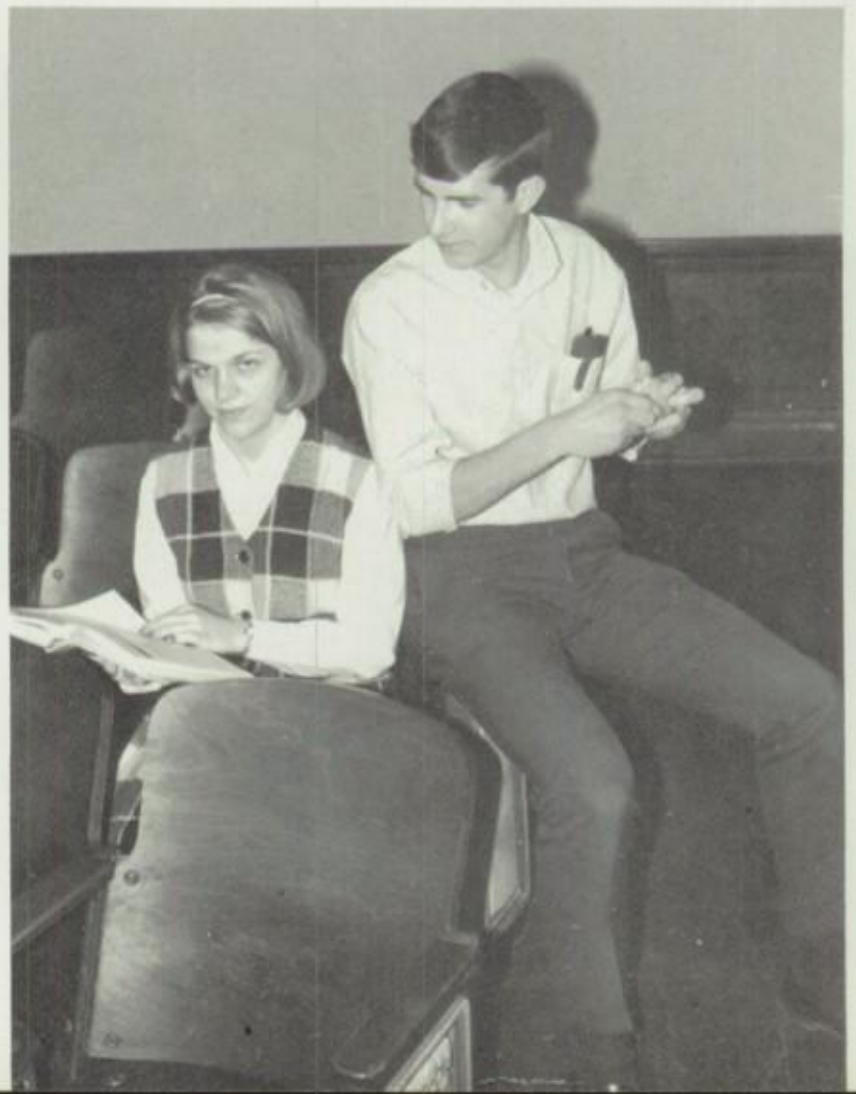
Most Popular - Sarah Mitchell and Ray Goins

Best Looking - Wills Clark and Darlene Wright

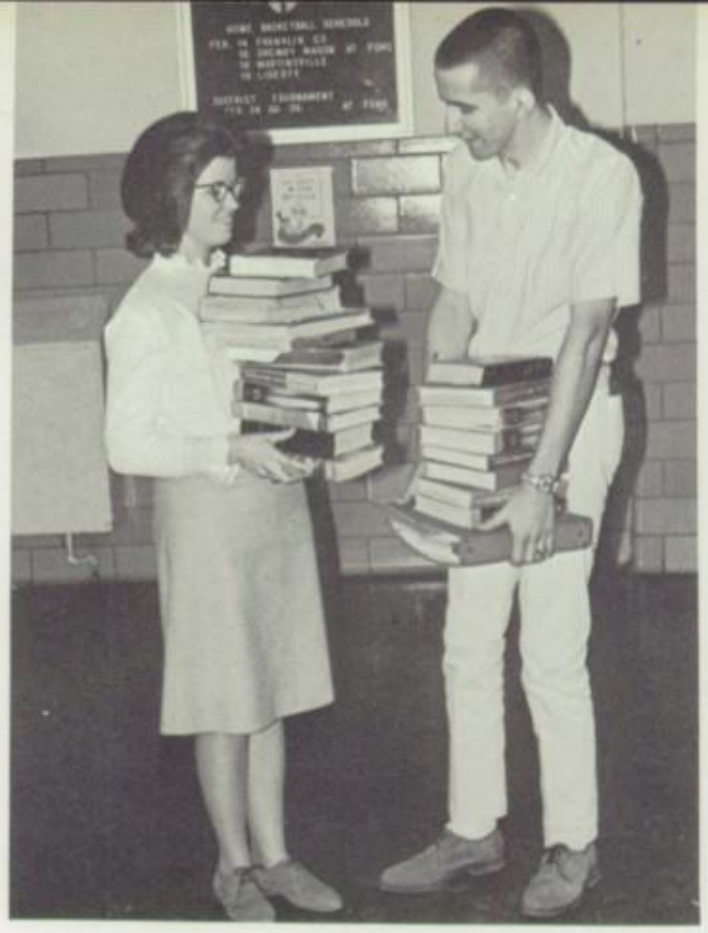
Senior Superlatives

Most Typical Seniors - Darrell Martin and Judy Lawrence

Most Athletic - Kent Wood and Linda P. Martin



BEST PERSONALITY: Richard Bower and Elaine Mills.



MOST STUDIOUS: Jimmy Joyce and Frances Dodson.

Senior Superlatives

BIGGEST FLIRTS: Lucy Anne Scoggin and Tim Shively.

MOST BASHFUL: Gaylene Parr and Tommy Rakestraw.

MOST TALKATIVE: Glenn Voss and Betty Hopper.

Princess Bassett Is Crowned

The Princess and her court: Deborah Law, Fourth runner-up; Elizabeth Johnson, Second runner-up; Mary McClellan, Princess Bassett; Dee Dee Bing, First runner-up; and Rita Holt, Third runner-up.

Miss Congeniality

Many hours of practice paid off for a petite, brunette Freshman, Mary McClellan. Not only was she honored by being named Princess Bassett, but also, she was voted "Miss Congeniality" by the other participants.

Escort, Donnie Clark

Miss Bassett . . .

Bobbi Hite, selected to be "Miss Congeniality" by the other contestants.

Miss Bassett, Linda Atkins, rides in the Christmas parade.

"Belle Of The Ball"

April 10 marked a big day in the lives of many Bassett High School girls. At 8:00 p.m., the curtains rose. In a couple of hours, the new Miss Bassett would be crowned. As the big moment arrived, the five finalists were announced: Darlene Wright, Fourth Runner-up; Shirley Hollandsworth, Third Runner-up; Phyllis Coleman, Second Runner-up; Linda Atkins, First Runner-up and Winna Jo Rakes, Miss Bassett.

During the year, Winna Jo moved to South Carolina; Linda Atkins took her place as the reigning beauty of Bassett High.

Girls deck the stage in their be utiful gowns and bright smiles as the judges make their decisions.

Ideal Girl

The representative of the Senior Class, Miss Susan Byrd, became Bassett's "Most Ideal Girl" for 1965. Faye Rakes, representing the Juniors, pleased her class by being named runner-up. The Eighth, Ninth, and Tenth grades were represented by Nancy Chestnut, LaVergne Harris, and Theresa Wood.

Each girl presented a talent act and was asked a personality question. Anxiety mounted as the girls anticipated the outcome. It was a rewarding night for the girls and an entertaining one for the audience.

A New Queen is crowned

Class Representatives grace the Stage

Honor Graduates

VALEDICTORIAN-
Sandra Brown

SALUTATORIAN-
Sarah Lipford

THIRD-
Frances Dodson

FOURTH-
Mike Hodges

These ten students represent five years of study and effort. Their averages are calculated from their grades in all their classes. Nine of these ten students have maintained a scholastic average of at least ninety-five and all ten are members of the National Honor Society. Their achievements are numerous, and for them the future seems very bright.

FIFTH, Sarah Mitchell; SIXTH, Darlene Wright; SEVENTH, Boozie Rhodes; EIGHTH, Lucy Ann Scoggin; NINTH, Jettie Turner; TENTH, Dana Miles.

GIRLS' and BOYS' STATE

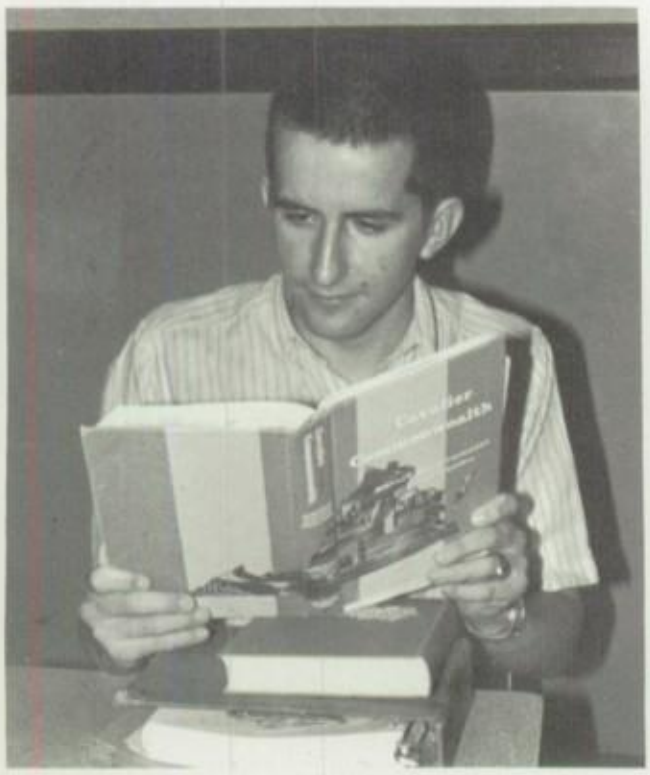
Each summer, the American Legion and Auxiliary sponsor several Bassett students at Girls' State and Boys' State Programs. Lucy Anne Scoggin attended the session at Radford College and Lee Philpott, Tommy Rakestraw, and Lonnie Brooks represented B.H.S. at William and Mary. Getting up at 6:30, marching around campus, and crawling into bed late at night seemed the most outstanding highlights of the week; but the knowledge of our government and the encouragement gained were worth every moment of it.

Outstanding

Mike Hodges, Senior; Keith Stone, Tim Setliff, Senior; and Barbara Philpott.

Each year, the English Department conducts the Forensics Contest in the fields of Poetry, Prose, Spelling, and Public Speaking. The winners of the school competition go on to District competition where they compete with the winners from other schools.

The Daughters of the American Revolution honor the student with the highest average in American History with an award each spring. In 1965, Jimmy Joyce received the award by maintaining a near perfect average.



D.A.R. History Award Winner-Jimmy Joyce.

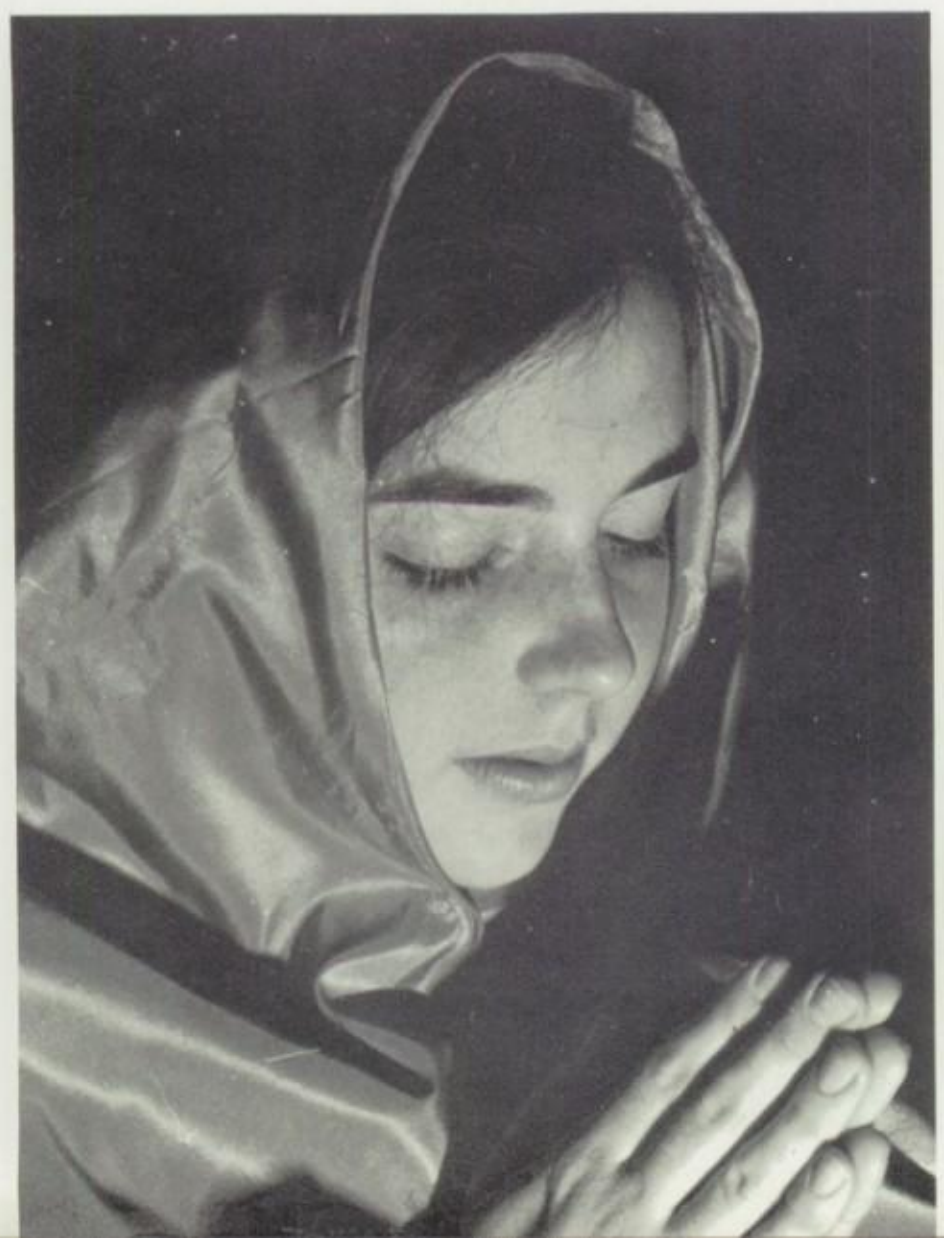
Seniors

Judy Lawrence receives the D.A.R. Citizenship Award.

Chosen from a group of Senior girls by the faculty, Judy Lawrence was the proud recipient of this year's D.A.R. Award. She was chosen on the basis of the grades, leadership ability, and other outstanding qualities.

Mrs. Coates presents Boozie Rhodes with the Betty Crocker Homemaking Award.

When the Betty Crocker Test was held for all Senior girls, many of them responded with enthusiasm. Of all the girls taking the test, Betty Ann Rhodes received the award and the thoughtful glances of many young men.



Of all the honors that a girl can receive at Bassett High School, the title of Madonna is the most revered. Nominated in her Senior homeroom and voted upon by the entire student body, Sarah Lipford earned the honor this year. Exemplifying the qualities of the Holy Mother of Christ, she reigned over the Christmas Assembly with an air of reverence and majesty. Goodness and beauty are two qualities not often possessed by one individual. Through the recognition of the Madonna, we honor this achievement.

Sarah Lipford beautifully depicts the qualities of our Madonna.

Happiness Is Participation

Such happiness as life is capable of comes from the full participation of all our powers in the endeavor to wrest from each changing situation of experience its own full and unique meaning.

John Dewey

NO
SMOKING

Team members from left to right*--FIRST ROW: Palmer Lowery, George Philpott, David Cline, Larry Carter, Donnie Clark, and Bill Kinney. SECOND ROW: David Oliver, David Doss, David Mattox, Kent Wood, Wesley Stroop, Jesse Crawford. THIRD ROW: Sonny Cassady, Ronnie Harrell, R. A. Davidson, Vern Wood, Mike Hodges, Steve Rose.

Early Setback Spurs Team Determination

Co-captains Ray Goins and Carl Craddock plan strategy with Coach Micklem.

Bassett	6
Bassett	12
Bassett	12
Bassett	19
Bassett	13
Bassett	24
Bassett	13
Bassett	14
Bassett	13
Bassett	13

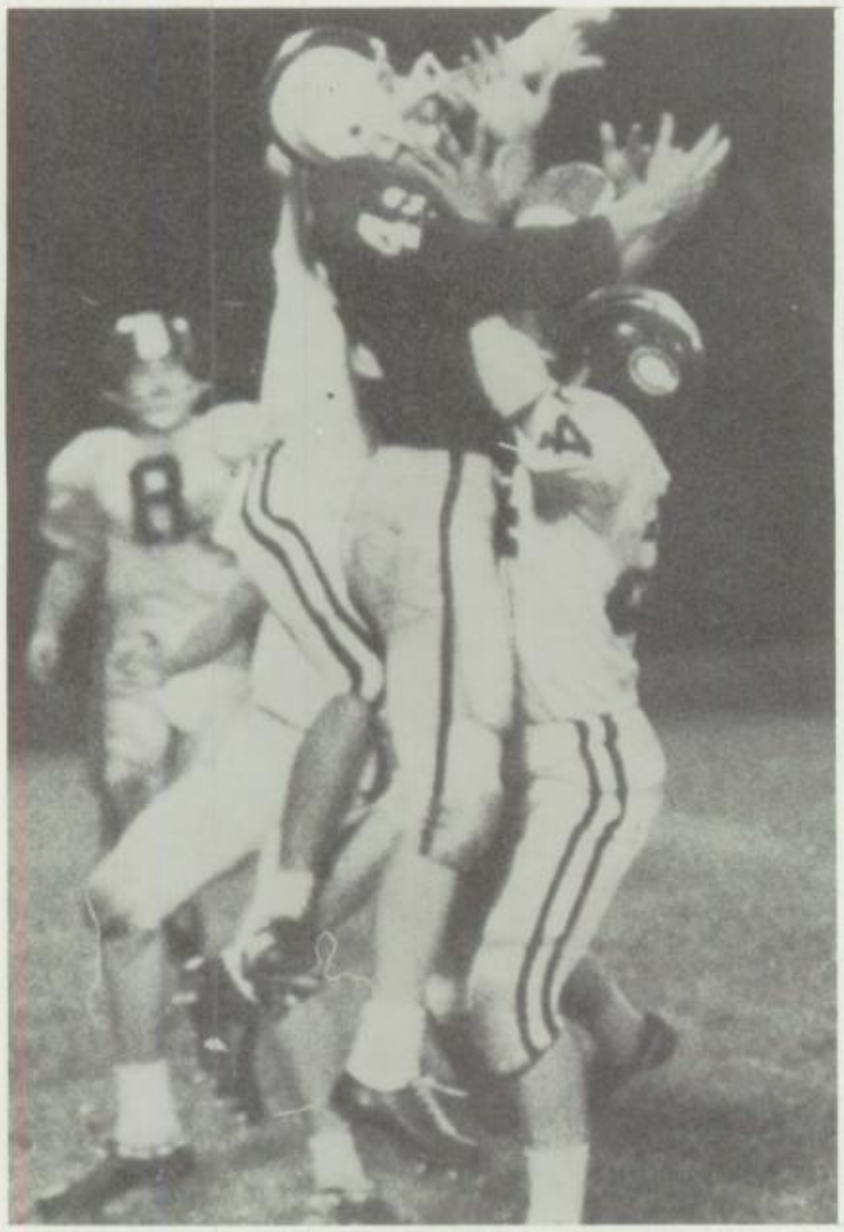
FIRST ROW: Lee Philpott, Allen Cobler, Gary Hollandsworth, Wayne Newman, Jerry Martin, Carl Craddock. SECOND ROW: Brady Cooper, Danny Robertson, Ray Goins, Smokey Pack, Raymond Odum. THIRD ROW: Tim Shiveley, Moose Smith, Mike Moore, Jimmy Young, and Darrell Martin.

And Spirit In '65 Football Season

Halifax	12
N. E. Guilford	14
Liberty	9
Hargrave J. V.	0
Drewry Mason	7
Fieldale-Collinsville	0
Franklin County	13
Northside	7
G. Washington	20
Martinsville	14

SENIORS PLAYERS

FIRST ROW: Lee Philpott, Carl Craddock, Ray Goins. SECOND ROW: Raymond Odum, Danny Robertson, Darrell Martin. THIRD ROW: Tim Shiveley, Moose Smith, Steve Rose.



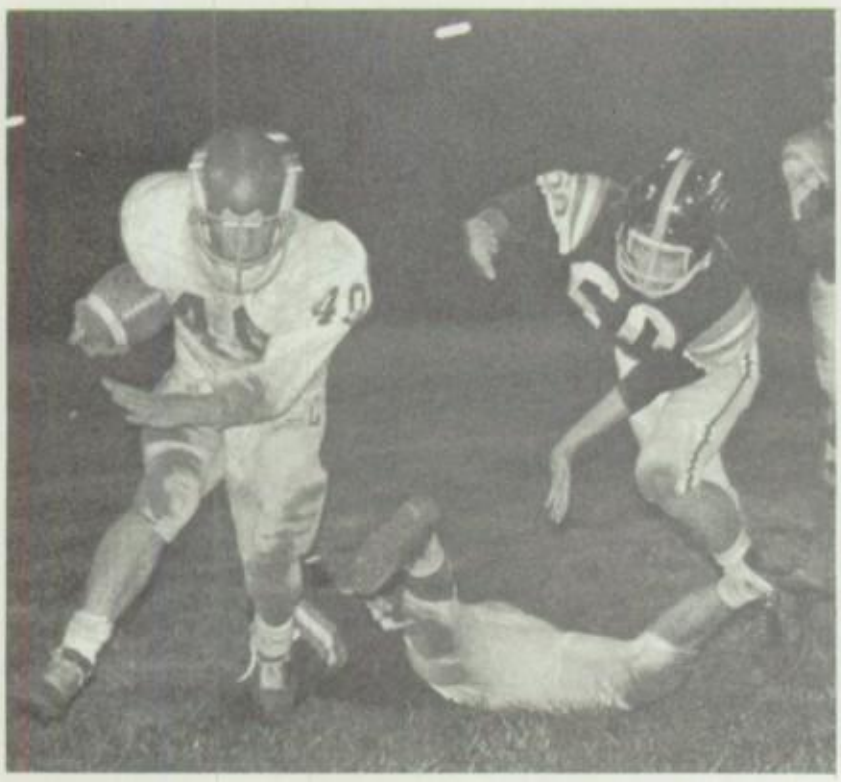
David Doss (42) grapples for the ball with several Halifax defenders in the opening game of the season.

Late in the summer, forty-two began the task of getting into shape for another rough and tough football season. After braving the fun runs, practice drills, and calisthenics, thirty-four remained to compose the 1965 team.

With the coming of September, Bassett Bengals were found everywhere--underneath, on top of, running around, jumping over, passing by, twisting from, or driving through the enemy.

Early Practice Sessions And Coaches

Lee Philpott (40) picks up a first down as he evades Hargrave tacklers.



Ballcarrier, Ray Goins (20) is stopped by two Northeast Guilford Rams.

Quarterback Sonny Cassady (14) carries ball against Hargrave. The Bengals went on to win by a wide margin.

Combine To Make Successful Team

Characterized by a big, beefy line and a speedy backfield, the Bengal team compiled an overall record of five wins, four losses, and one tie. Determination, spirit, and the desire to win proved to be large factors.

Drewry Mason Spartan tries for yardage as host of Bengal defenders close in.

The Bengal team was coached by Colbert Micklem with assistance from Edd Jones, Don Yontz, and Wayne Turner. Through them the fine points of the game of football were learned.

Sonny Cassady (14) is halted by Franklin defender in game which ended in 13-13 tie.

Action Characterizes Season!

Lee Philpott (40) gains big yardage aginst Hargrave.

Ray Goins (20) slips by for a gain in game with Franklin County.

Seniors Receive Awards

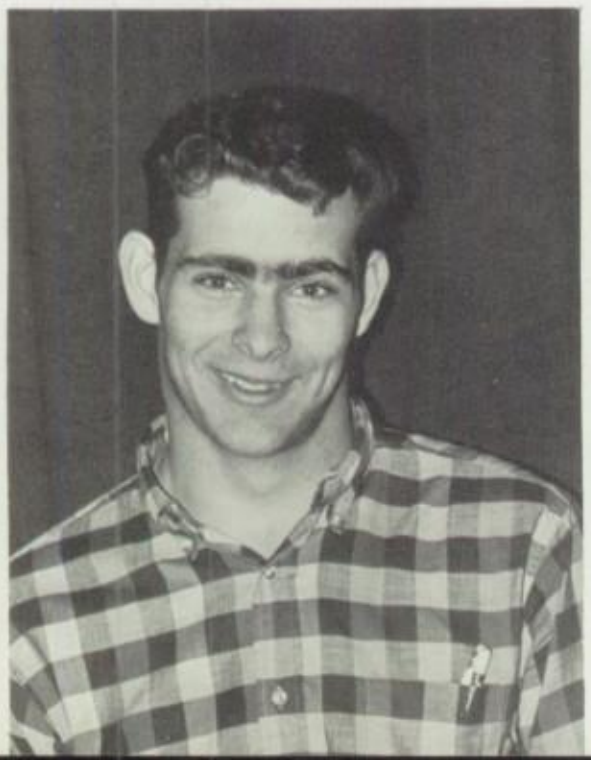
Coach Hartbarger of Ferrum Junior College, presented the Most Valuable Back Award to Ray Goins.

Coach Norton of Ferrum presented the Most Valuable Lineman Award to Tim Shively.

Mr. Bobby Young presented the Most Improved Player Award to Lee Philpott.

All-County--Sonny Cassady, Danny Robertson, Tim Shively, Ray Goins.

All-District--Sonny Cassady, Tim Shively, Carl Craddock, Lee Philpott.



All-State--Tim Shively.

Team Is Represented On County, District, And State Teams

The Bassett fans' pride in the Bengal football team was greatly justified when several of its members were chosen for special recognition.

Tim Shively, the mainstay of the Bengal line, was picked for a berth on the All-State Team along with those of All-District and All-County.

Sonny Cassady, Bengal quarterback, was selected for All-District and All-County.

Other Bengals on the All-District Team were guard Carl Craddock and halfback Lee Philpott.

Berths on the All-County Team were also given to end Danny Robertson and halfback Ray Goins.

The whole school is tremendously proud of these boys whose outstanding skill has brought so much recognition.

FIRST ROW--Jerry Bryson, Wayne Lovell, Ricky Pack, Thornton Cockran, Hines Pegram, Joe Carter. SECOND ROW--Chuck Shelton, Kenneth Barrows, Ralph Carroll, Larry Perdue, Tommy Stanley, Keith McGuire. THIRD ROW: Steve Tilley, Joey Hubbard, Kurt Perdue, Tommy Prilliman, Mike Smith.

Junior Varsity Football Team

The Junior Varsity Football Team was coached this year by Billy Nichols. Though the team's record was a poor one, the spirit and determination were good. The desire to win was shown through their hard work and long hours of practice.

Bassett	0	Franklin	14
Bassett	0	Martinsville	6
Bassett	0	Fieldale-Collinsville	6
Bassett	6	Drewry Mason	19
Bassett	0	Martinsville	27
Bassett	0	Drewry Mason	13
Bassett	0	Halifax	6

Terry Cundiff, Manager, Coach Edd Jones, Dane Ramsey, guard, Snuffy Smith, Guard, L. J. Kilby, guard, Lonnie Adams, forward, Vern Wood, forward, Sonny Cassady, forward, Richard Bower, forward, David Doss, center, Kent Wood, guard, Rodney DeHart, guard, Coach Dick Leftwich, John Draper, Manager. Not pictured Darrell Martin, center.

Varsity Basketball Team = 17-1 Record

The Bengals' Varsity team was coached to a successful 17-1 record by Coach Dick Leftwich and Coach Edd Jones. The Bengals, characterized by balance and depth, led the Piedmont District with an 8-0 record.

Although much of their time was used in practice, the hard work paid off for the Bengals, when to the cheers of many fans they raced from victory to victory.

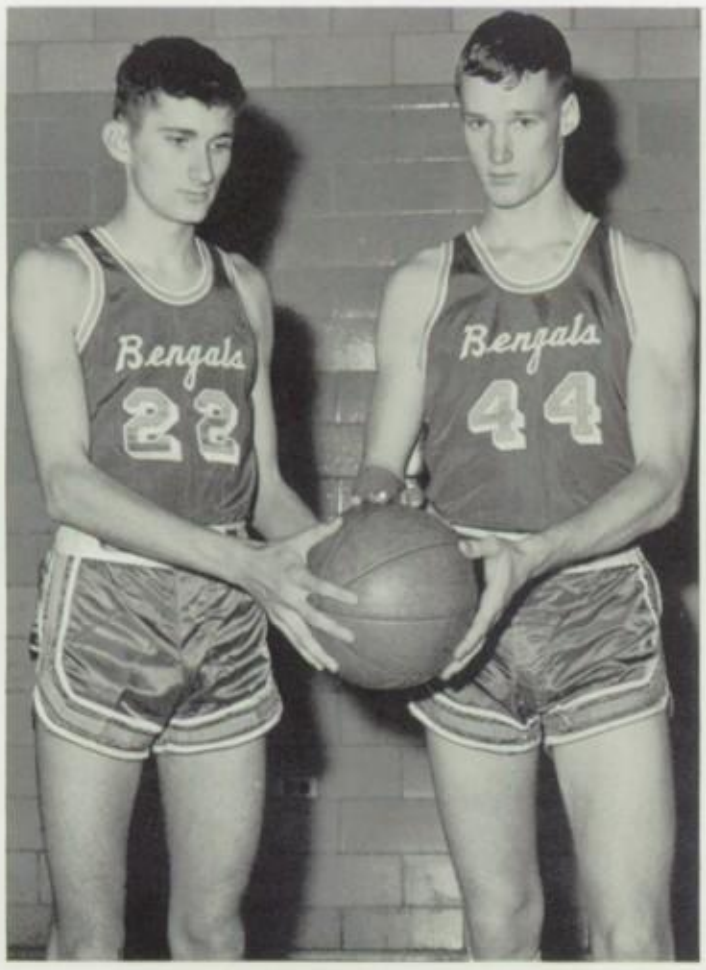
Dressed in their shiny new "warm-ups" no one could fail to notice when the Big Blue ran onto the floor.

SCOREBOARD

Bassett	72	Liberty	48
Bassett	67	Halifax	48
Bassett	49	Cave Spring	50
Bassett	58	Parry McCluer	48
Bassett	70	Wm. Campbell	50
Bassett	83	Parry McCluer	44
Bassett	66	Fieldale-Collinsville	56
Bassett	68	Chatham	57
Bassett	63	Drewey Mason	54
Bassett	66	Fieldale-Collinsville	44
Bassett	63	Franklin	49
Bassett	75	Martinsville	60
Bassett	60	Franklin	48
Bassett	77	Drewey Mason	60
Bassett	67	Cave Spring	57
Bassett	73	Fieldale-Collinsville	42
Bassett	72	Liberty	64
Bassett	47	Martinsville	46

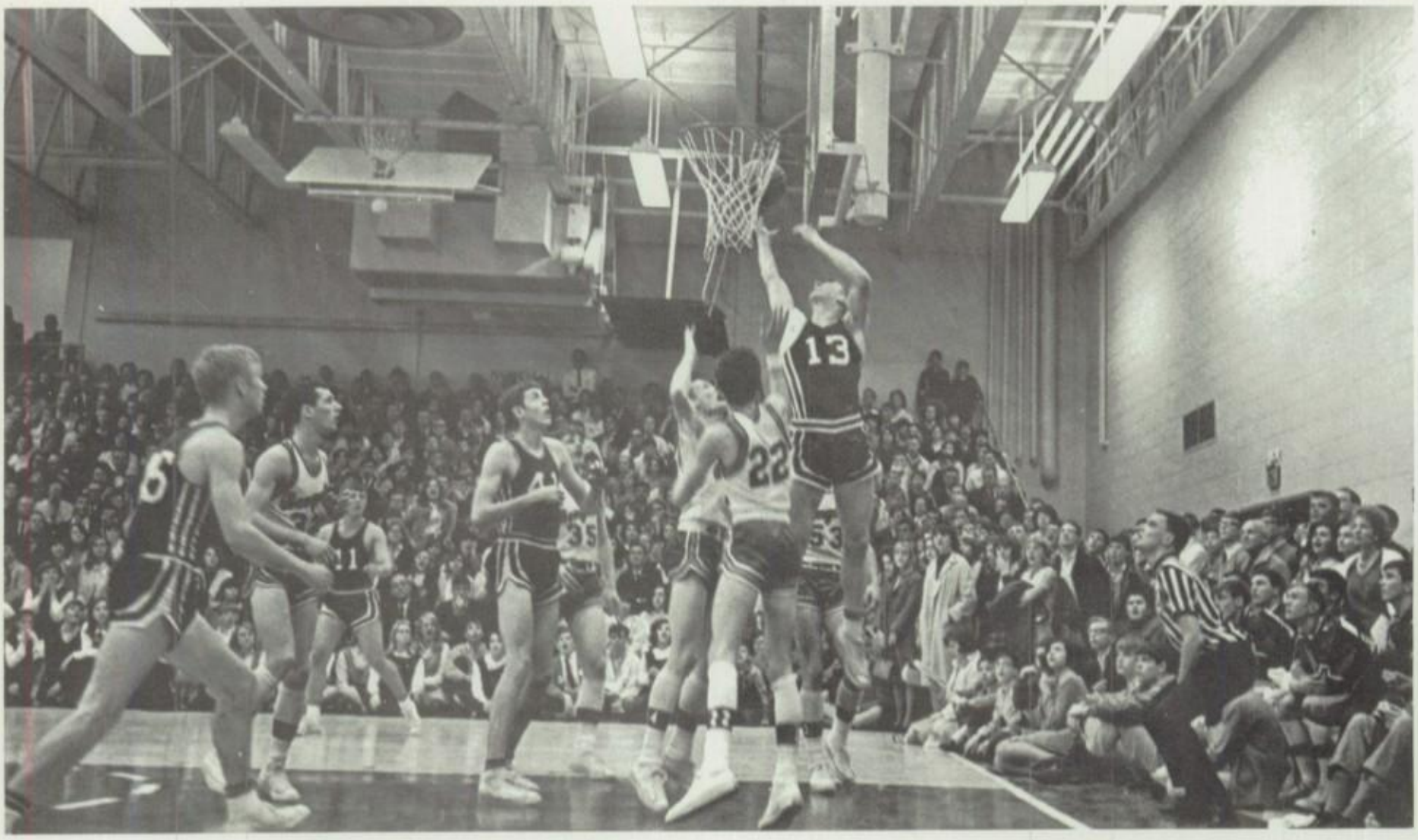
Boys listen intently as Coach Leftwich explains a fine point during time-out.

Strong Leadership Brings Success



Co-Captains--L. J. Kilby and Vern Wood.

"Mighty Rats" reflect different attitudes as Coach Leftwich speaks in pep rally before Martinsville game.

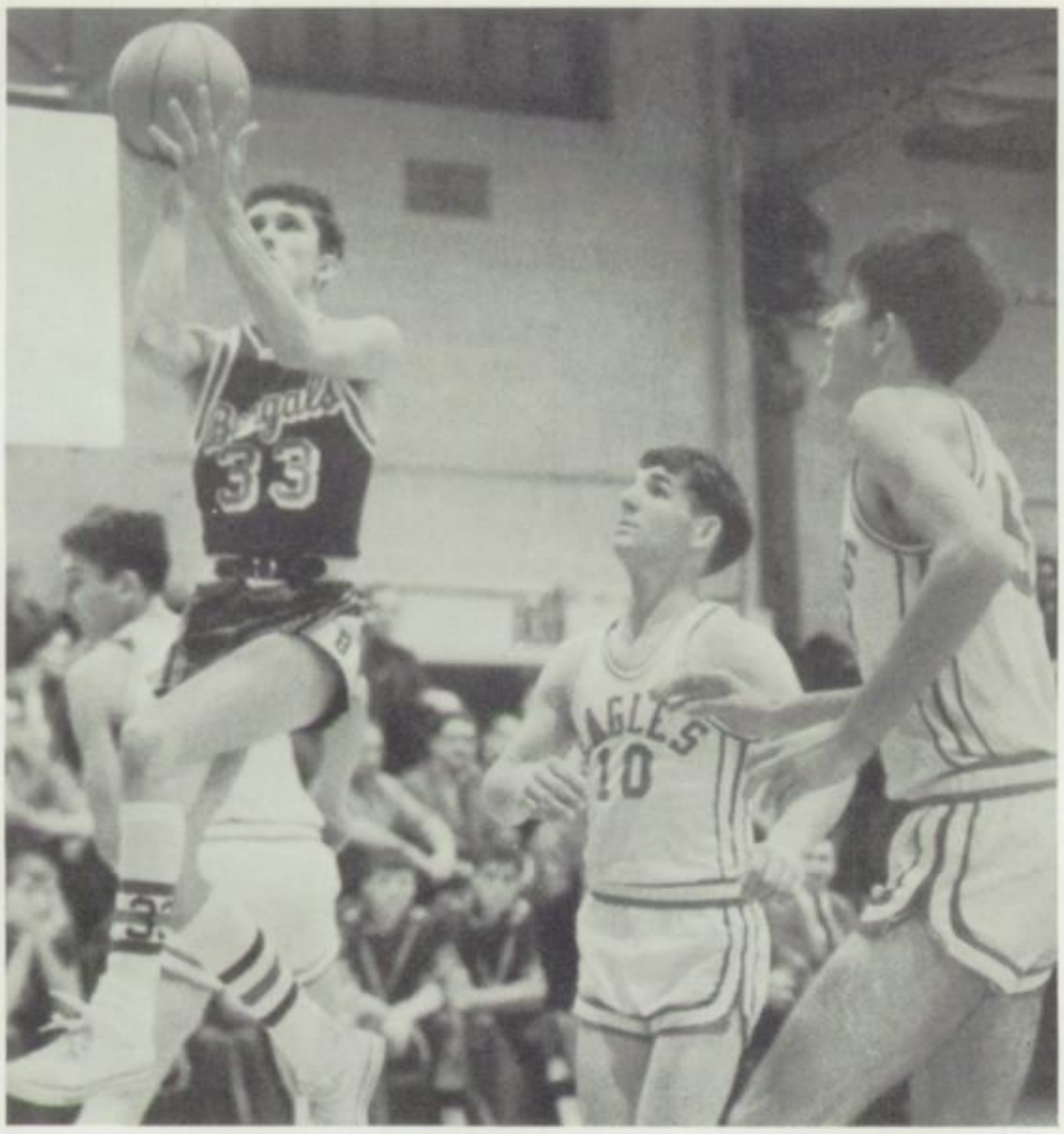


Bengal defenders ready for rebound as over-capacity crowd watches.

Balance And Depth Are

Kilby and Kent moves in to stop Bulldog opponent.

Sonny Cassady jumps for ball against Bulldog's Cartwright.

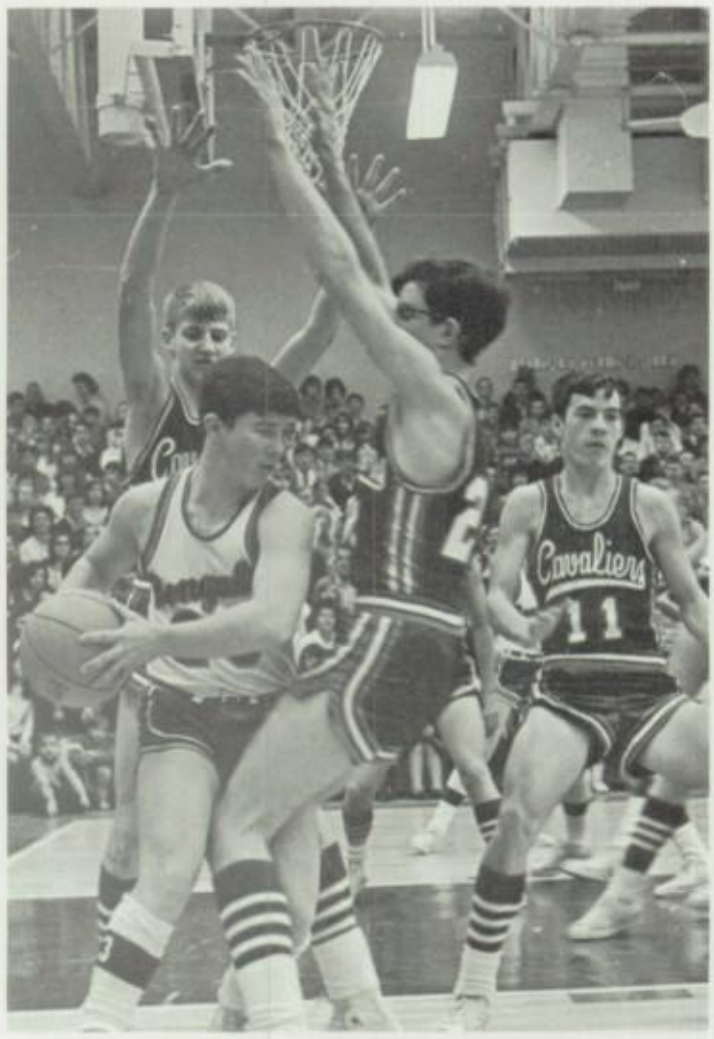


L. J. Kilby drives in for a lay up against Franklin County.

Big Features Of Team

Bengals and opponents await outcome of shot by Cassady.

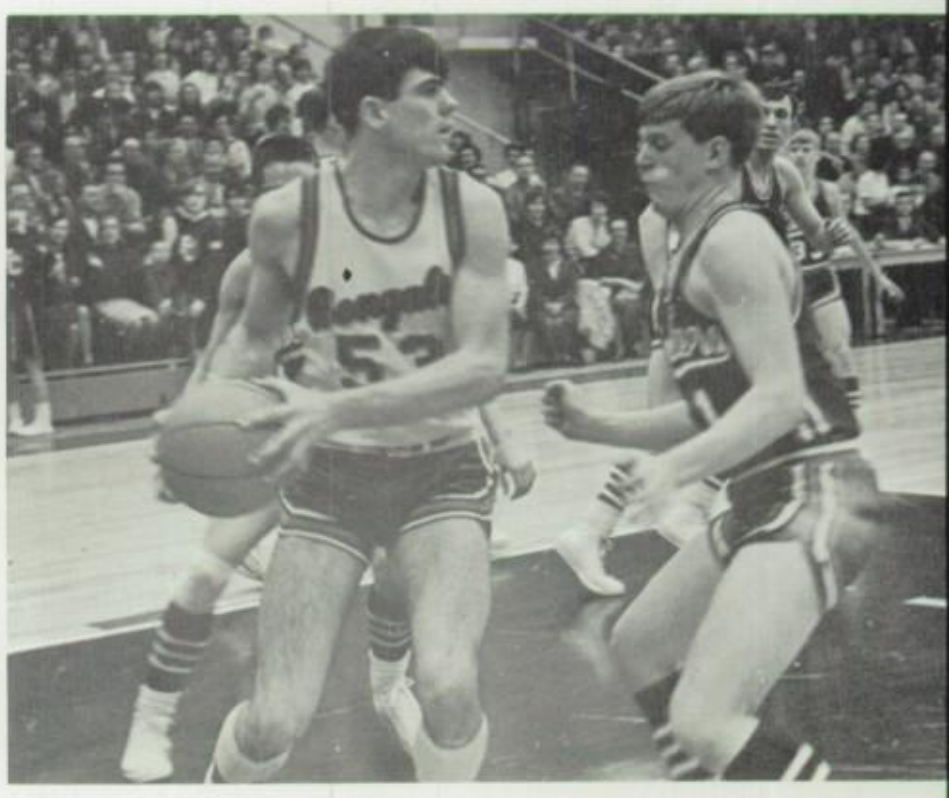
L. J. Kilby defends against shot by Cavalier.



Dane Ramsey is fouled by Cavalier while trying to move the ball.

Determination Drives

Sonny Cassady looks up court for Bengal teammate.



Kent Wood fights for ball with opponent from William Campbell.

Vern Wood takes lay up against Cave Spring in revenge game.

Bengals Throughout Season

Kilby jumps for control of ball in game against Blues.

Vern Wood breaks away from all defenders.

Team Strives To

Snuffy Smith takes a long shot against Blues.

Sonny Cassady struggles for loose ball with Chatham opponents.

Sonny Cassady controls the tip against Cavaliers.

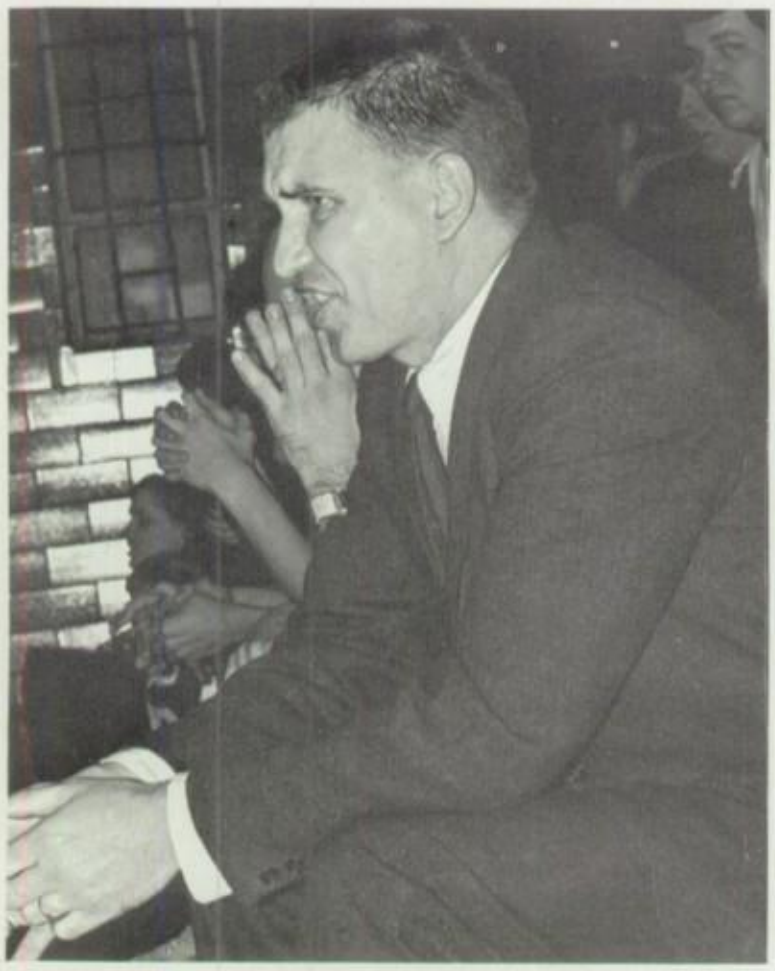
Bring Home Glory

Vern Wood is fouled on a lay up attempt.

Kilby shoots successfully over a block by a General opponent.

FIRST ROW--Freddy Hodnett, Walter Turner, Ronnie Harrell, Donnie Doss, Albert Wilson, Donald Nolen. SECOND ROW--Lee Collins, Joe Carter, Donnie Clark, Donald Haynes, manager. THIRD ROW--Eddie Purdy, Rodney, DeHart, Coach Wayne Turner.

Junior Varsity Turns In



J.V. Coach, Wayne Turner, watches from the sidelines.

SCOREBOARD

Bassett	49	Liberty	16
Bassett	64	Halifax	30
Bassett	65	Cave Springs	62
Bassett	66	Parry McCluer	44
Bassett	58	William Campbell	31
Bassett	45	Parry McCluer	42
Bassett	48	Fieldale-Collinsville	45
Bassett	86	Chatham	30
Bassett	50	Franklin County	35
Bassett	56	Cave Springs	45
Bassett	59	Fieldale-Collinsville	37
Bassett	56	Drewry Mason	35
Bassett	50	Martinsville	44
Bassett	57	Fieldale-Collinsville	38
Bassett	40	Franklin County	34
Bassett	54	Drewry Mason	31
Bassett	70	Martinsville	64
Bassett	82	Liberty	63

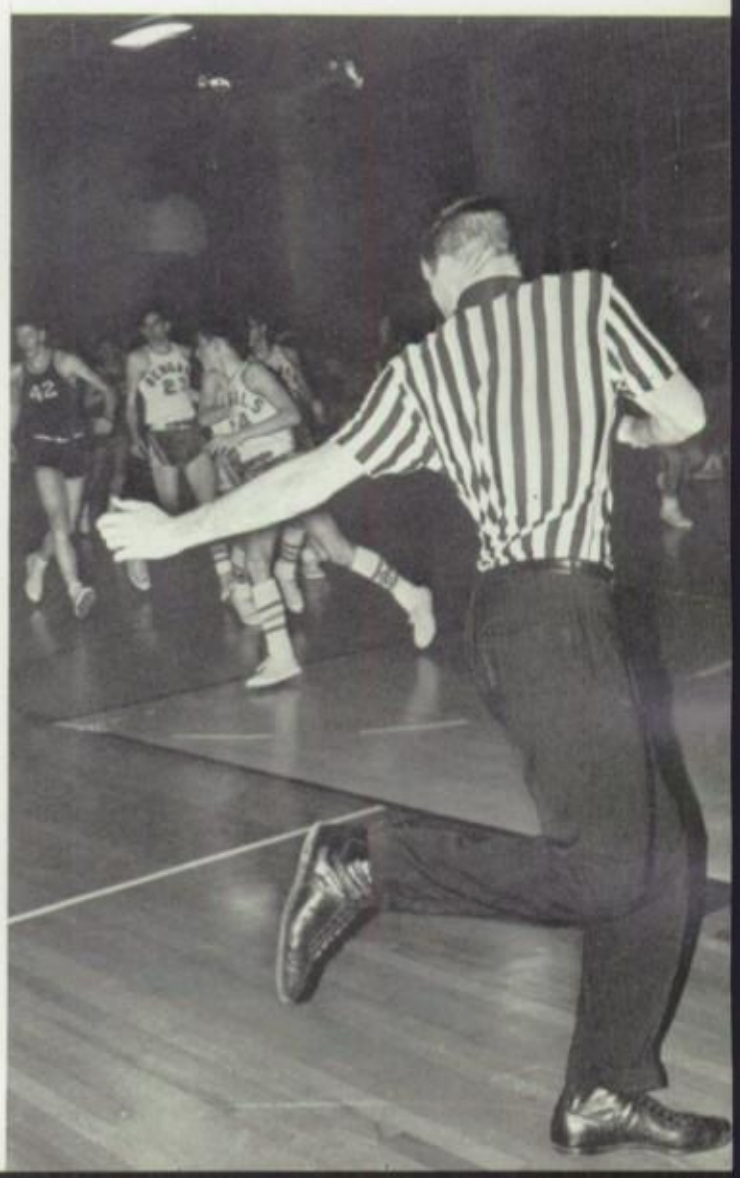
Jayvees, Rodney DeHart and Donald Nolen, were moved up to Varsity at season's end.

Perfect 18-0 Slate

The Bengal Jayvee team, coached by Wayne Turner and Billy Nichols, won all of its 18 games for the best record in the school's history.

Only the team of which their coach, Wayne Turner, was a member came close with a 17-1 record more than ten years ago.

Long hours of practice, often in a cold gym, were made worthwhile when they paid off in victory. Though their game was a preliminary to the Varsity, the Jayvees came through with the same quick action as their counterparts.



Referee shakes it up with Jayvees in action in the background.

EIGHTH GRADE TEAM--Keith Trantham, manager, Kenneth Cecil, Doug Lenviel, Terry Tripplett.
SECOND ROW--Mike Maxey, Joe Carter, Mike Chitwood, Terry Hairston.

8th Grades Show Great Potential

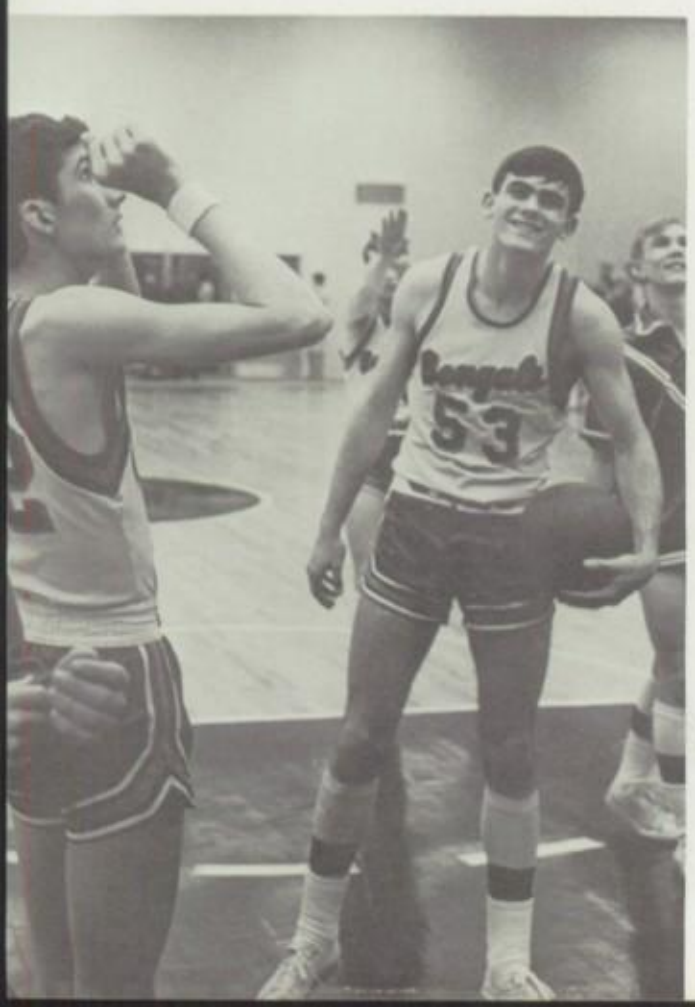
Eighth Grade Coach--Billy Nichols.

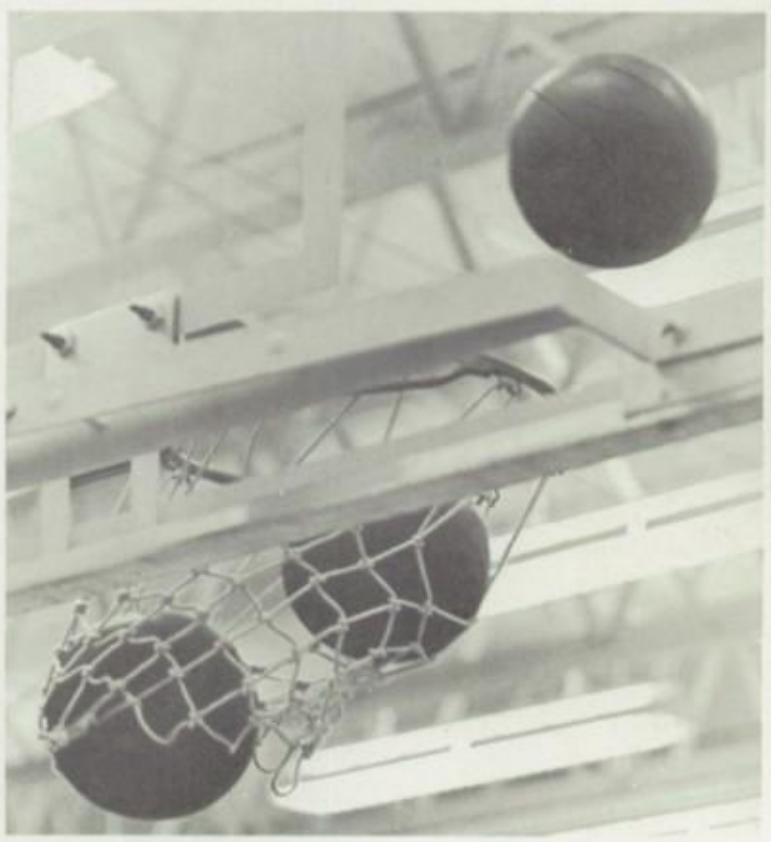
The 8th Grade Team coached by Billy Nichols had a 7-2 record, showing promise for the future along with a will to win.

Bassett	44
Bassett	42
Bassett	44
Bassett	33
Bassett	18
Bassett	40
Bassett	35
Bassett	49
Bassett	24

Drewry Mason	19
Fieldale-Collinsville	29
Sacred Heart	32
Drewry Mason	20
Fieldale-Collinsville	32
Martinsville	28
Drewry Mason	17
Franklin	6
Fieldale-Collinsville	36

Candid Camera





FIRST ROW: Vic Goudie, David Ashby, Frankie Reynolds, Lynwood Ramsey, Wayne Lovell, Addis Mabe, Dwight Stone, Stanley Wade, Jimmy Burks. SECOND ROW: Coach Micklem, Jimmy Young, Philip Reynolds, Calvin Jones, Ken Hundley, Billy Spencer, Steve Barley, Hack Stanley, Smokey Pack, David Mattox, Mike Clay.

Varsity Baseball '65

The Baseball team was coached by Colbert Micklem to a 9-6 season.

At the annual awards banquet held at the W. M. Bassett Community Center, the following awards were presented:

Most Valuable--Philip Reynolds

Most Improved--Dwight Stone

Scoreboard

Bassett	2	Hargrave	0
Bassett	1	Franklin County	0
Bassett	10	Fieldale	7
Bassett	11	Liberty	3
Bassett	5	Franklin	0
Bassett	1	Drewry Mason	10
Bassett	5	Liberty	7
Bassett	2	Hargrave	0
Bassett	2	Martinsville	5
Bassett	13	Franklin	1
Bassett	1	Drewry Mason	4
Bassett	12	Fieldale	0
Bassett	3	Martinsville	5
Bassett	8	Franklin	7
Bassett	2	Franklin	16

Bengal runner races to third base against Hargrave.

Lefty Dwight Stone hurls in game with Fieldale.

Stanley Wade beats ball to base.

FIRST ROW: Kent Wood, David Merriman, Alan Cobler, Joey Hubbard, Otis Chaney, Carl Craddock. SECOND ROW: Junior Douglas, Larry Peak, Thorton Cockram, Lee Philpott, Haskell Stanley, Jeffery Rakes, Carl Goode, Don Yontz (coach). THIRD ROW: Sonny Cassady, David Doss, Randy DeHart, Raymond Odum, Ray Goins.

Bassett Track At Last Becomes

Goins trys pole-vaulting skills.

Cassady defeats Hargrave opponent.

A Full-Fledged Sport

The track team, under the direction of Coach Don Yontz, took its place with other sports at Bassett High School. About twenty boys participated in an effort to build its importance. Individual performances were the highlights of the season. Randy DeHart holds the County and District records in the miles and the half mile. He was also second in the mile at the state meet. Sonny Cassady was fourth in the 440 yard dash at the state meet. Ray Goins holds the County record in the 100 yard dash. With the majority of the track team returning, there is much expectation for a more balanced team.

Randy DeHart wins mile run.

Ray Goins edges out Martinsville's Wheeler in close race.

Boys Work Hard To Prepare For Sports

Coach Turner and Coach Jones enjoy their work.

Boys at Bassett High School try to stay "in shape" the whole year. They do this through a series of Isometric exercises and weight lifting. All this is through the assistance of the coaching staff.

Danny Robertson developes his muscles through lifting weights.

Dane Ramsey easily lifts bar as Danny and Lonnie Adams watch.

Donnie Clark easily presses 65 pounds.

Varsity--Darlene Wright, Cheryl Gale, Sarah Mitchell, Sarah Lipford, Captain, Bobbi Hite, Judy Park, Retta Sabow, Terry Trantham.

Varsity Cheerleaders

After weeks of bake sales, practice, and planning for a peppy year, the Varsity Cheerleaders' summer finale saw them bringing home blue ribbons and the First Place Trophy from National Cheerleaders' Association Camp in Virginia Beach. But this finale was only the beginning of the eight girls plans and working to make B. H. S. the most Bengal-spirited ever.

With willing hands and unique ideas the Cheerleaders sponsored the annual football Homecoming festivities and dance. By frequent pep rallies and a year-round bulletin board, the girls encouraged interest and support for the Big Blue.

For Bengal good luck the Cheerleaders served the Varsity teams lemonade and cookies. Then with their Cheerleader-made badges, the boys were set for victory.

Bengal Mascot--Betsy Micklem.

Girls exhibit spirit by turning cartwhells.

Varsity Cheerleaders are "flying high".

The Varsity Cheerleaders participate in annual Christmas parade.

Girls prove to be "hams" in skit done in pep rally before tournaments.

Cheerleaders pose as "Mighty Rats" complete with warm-ups.

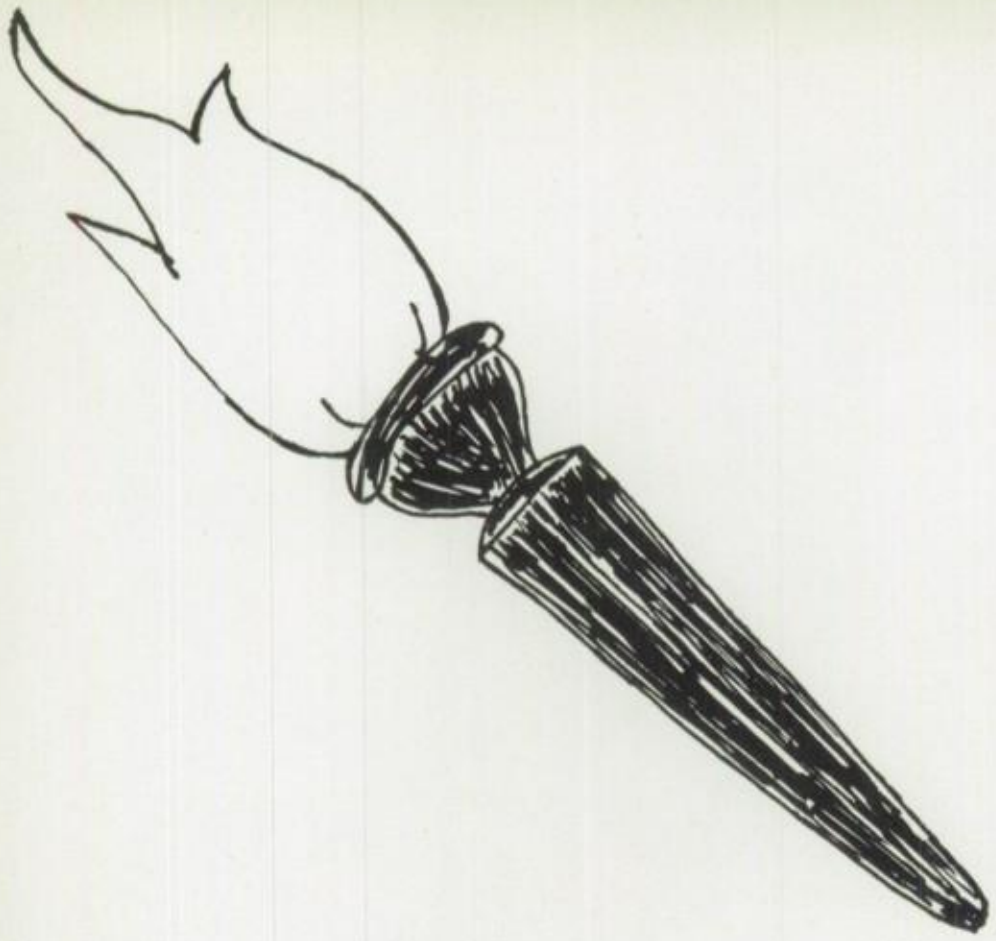
FIRST ROW--Beth Woody, Patsy Draper, Belinda Wright, Betsy Coleman, Captain, Dee Dee Bing, Diane Lovell. SECOND ROW--Bonny Statser, Shelia Arnold, Susan Davis, Mary Rae Hite, Brenda Thompson, Rhonda Plott.

Jay Vee Cheerleaders

This year for the first time the Jay Vee Cheer Squad consisted of eight regular cheerleaders and four alternates who cheered at home games.

These girls spent many hours practicing and developed into a fine squad. They made badges for the J.V. football and basketball players and co-operated with the Varsity squad on bake sales, and other activities.

Jayvees Betsy and Belinda hold hoop for Varsity football players.



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That is happiness: to be dissolved into something complete and great.

--Willa Cather

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And dost with poison, war, and sickness dwell;
And poppy or charms can make us sleep as well
And better than thy stroke. Why swell'st thou then?
One short sleep past, we wake eternally,
And Death shall be no more: Death, thou shalt die!

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SAMUEL CURTIS ADAMS

4-H Club 9; Science Club 10; Firefighters 10,11; D.E. Club 12.

CLIFFORD EUGENE ADKINS

Science Club 10; Firefighters 11,12; ICT 12; EIDX Club Award.

LAURA MAE ADKINS

Drama Society 8,9,10,11; FHA 9; Homecoming Representative 9; Chorus 9; SCA Treasurer 12.

KATHRYN BRYAN AMANDOLIA

Homeroom President 9; SCA 9,10,11; Drama Society 9,10; Vice-President 11; District Play Festival 10; Variety Show 10; Princess Bassett 10; J.V. Cheerleader 9,10; Pep Club 11; Delegate to SIPA 10,11; Spanish Club 11; "Most Mischievous" 12; Timber Tints Staff 11,12.

ROBERT MORGAN ARMSTRONG

Band 8,9,10,11,12; State Stage Band Festival 10; Drum Major 11,12; Latin Club 8; Drama Society 8,9,10,11; District Play 10; Timber Tints Assistant Business Manager 11; Circulation Manager 12; SCA Executive Council 11; Henry County Science Fair, 1st. place; Debate Team, President 11; Firefighters 10; Senior Class Vice-President; "Most Dependable" 12.

RICHARD SAMUEL ARRINGTON

JOEL RODNEY ASHBY

NANCY BASSETT BEAMER

SCA 8,9,10; Homeroom President 8; Drama Society 9, 10,11; Pep Club 11; Timber Tints Staff 12.

HERMAN RICHARD BOWER

Science C'ub 8,9; J.V. Basketball 10; SCA 10,11; Varsity Basketball 11,12; Monogram Club 12; Firefighters 11,12; Sergeant-at-Arms 11; Key Club 12; "Best Personality" 12.

BRENNA SHARON BOWERS

LONNIE ALLAN BROOKS

SANDRA KAY BROWN

Drama Society 8,9,10,11; Class Treasurer 10; Pep Club President 11; Beta Club 11; National Honor Society 12; Class Representative for annual Class Marshal 10,11; Homeroom President 12.

JAMES WILLIAM BRYANT

Band 10,11,12; Firefighters 10,11; D.E. 11; Track 11; Homeroom Representative 10; Science Club 9; Jr. Deputy 11.

ANITA ANNE BULLOCK

Pep Club 11; FHA 9,10,11,12; Chorus 10; Outstanding Member in FHA.

LARRY RONALD CANNADY

ICT 11,12; Science Club 11; Firefighters 12.

JUDY MAE CASE

PAUL ALAN CASSELL

Firefighters 12.

ALBERT WILLS CLARK, JR.

Vice-President 8; J.V. Football 9; SCA 10; Drama Society 9,10,11,12; Voted President of Drama Society 12; Firefighters 10,11,12; Pep Club 11.

HARRY RICHARD CLEMENTS, JR.

Basketball Manager 8; J.V. Football Manager 9; Varsity Basketball Manager 10; D.E. Club 12; "Most School Spirited" 12.

MARY VIRGINIA CLEMENTS

Drama Society 8,9,10,11; Beta Club 11; "Most Courteous" 12.

BETTY FRANCES COLSTON

FHA 9,10,11,12; Pep Club 11; Glee Club 11,12.

CLINTON CECIL CONNOR

Baseball 10; Firefighters 11,12; Monogram Club 11, 12; Junior Deputy 11,12.

LINDA FRANCES CONNER

SCA Representative 8; Glee Club 10; D.E. Club 11.

LEONA KERMEEN COOPER

J.V. Cheerleader 8,9,10; SCA 8,9,10,11,12; Drama Society 8,9,10,11; Timber Tints Staff 11; Beta Club 11; Correspondent to Martinsville Bulletin 12; Variety Show 10,11; SCA Monitor 12; Finalist in Forensics 10; "Most Dependable" 12.

CARL ROBERT CRADDOCK

J.V. Football 10; Varsity Football 11,12, Co-Captain 12; Monogram Club 11,12, President 12; Track Team 10,11,12.

BOBBY LEE CRAIG

ROGER EUGENE CRAIG

Science Club 10; D.E. Club 11; ICT Club 12.

MYRA KAY CUNDIFF

Transferred from Fieldale High School 12.

Senior Statistics

JUDITH DIANE DENKINS

FRANCES JEAN DODSON

Drama Society 9; Beta Club 11; National Honor Society 12; ICT Club 12; "Most Studious" 12.

MARTHA ANNE DOUGLAS

Spanish Club 8; Drama Society 8,9,10; FHA 8; Glee Club 9.

SAMUEL GARY EANES

DAVID JAMES EDWARDS

ICT 11,12.

BARBARA JEAN ESTES

GAA 12.

SANDRA KAY FRANKLIN

FHA Club 9,10,11,12, Club Historian 10, President 11; SCA Council 11; FHA Federation Reporter-Historian 11; Library Club 10; Homeroom President 12; SCA 12; D.E. Club 12.

JUDY JEANNETTE GAMMONS

D.E. Club 11,12; D.E. Secretary 12; D.E. Queen 12.

BETTY JANE GILBERT

GAA 12.

CARL RAY GOINS

Basketball 8; Baseball 9,10; J.V. Football 9; Key Club 10,11,12; Track 10,11,12; Varsity Football 10,11,12, Co-Captain 12; Homecoming King 12; Pep Club 11; Homeroom President 12; "Most Popular" 12.

CARLTON BRAMMER GOODE, JR.

Latin Tournament 8; Science Club 9,10; Track Team 10,11,12; Key Club 11,12, Secretary 12; Beta Club 11; Junior Deputy 11, National Honor Society 12; Nominated for Distinguished High School Student of America 12.

KENNETH RONALD GREER

ICT 11,12.

GEORGE WASHINGTON GUSLER

Science Club 10; Drama Society 9,10,11; 4-H Club 11; Pep Club 11; Firefighters 11,12; D.E. Club President 12.

JIMMY ROAISAIRO HALL

Drama Society 10; Firefighters 10,11; D.E. Club 11; Pep Club 11; ICT Club 12; 4-H Club 8.

CHARLES WILLIAM HAIRSTON

Glee Club 12, Student Director 12, All State Chorus 12.

KENNETH RAY HAYNES

BRENDA ANN HELMS

JEAN CAROLYN HELMS

Transferred from George Washington Carver High School 12; Spanish Club 8,9,10,11; Dramatics Club 10; NHA Club 10; Library Club 10; Chorus 10,11,12, Vice-President 12; SCA 11.

ROBERTA LEIGH HITE

Homeroom President 8; J.V. Cheerleader 9; Varsity Cheerleader 10,11,12; Class Vice-President 11; Drama Society 9,10,11; Monogram Club 11,12, Secretary 12; SCA Secretary 10; Beta Club 11; National Honor Society 12; Homecoming Court 12; Delegate to SCA Convention 10; SCA Monitor 12; Pep Club 11; "Miss Congeniality" 11; "Most School Spirited" 12.

KENNETH RAY HOLT

Beta Club 11; D.E. Club 12, Debate Club 11.

BETTY MAE HOPPER

Drama Society 8,9,10,11; FHA Honorary Member 11; Band 10,11,12, Majorette 12; "Most Talkative".

BETTY GAIL HUNDLEY

FHA 9,10,11,12; Chorus 10,11,12.

DOUGLAS ALBERT INGRAM

Drama Society 8; Baseball Manager 9; Monogram Club 12.

MARY ALMA JACKSON

LINDA FAYRENE JOHNSON

Drama Society 8,9; Beta Club 11.

BERNARD EMMETT JOYCE, JR.

Science Club 8; Drama Society 9,10,11; Keep Va. Green 10,11,12.

CLYDE DAVID JOYCE

Firefighters 12.

DONNA MARIE JOYCE

D.E. Club 11,12.

JAMES ANDERSON JOYCE

Key Club 12; DAR History Medal 11; SCA 11; Forensics--3rd. place award 11, "Most Studious"

RONALD GREEN JOYCE

Science Club 8; Drama Society 9; Keep Va. Green 10; Varsity Basketball 11.

SAMUEL GREEN JOYCE

D.E. Club 11,12.

Senior Statistics

LONNIE JAMES KILBY

8 grade Basketball; J.V. Basketball 9; Varsity Basketball 11,12; Key Club 11,12; Monogram Club 11,12; Firefighters 11,12; Pep Club; Basketball Honors--Most Valuable Player 11; 1st. team all-county 11; Honorable Mention All State; "Best All Around".

JOHN BARRY KOGER

Basketball 8; J.V. Football, Firefighter 12.

CAROLYN ANNE KOONTZ

Drama Society 8,9,10,11; Library Club 11; SCA 9; Girls' State Representative.

JUDITH JONES LAWRENCE

National Honor Society 12; NHS Vice-Pres. 12; Beta Club 11, Treasurer 11; Pep Club 11, Drama Society 8,9,10,11; J.V. Cheerleader 8,9,10, Co-Captain 10; Annual Club Editor 12; 2nd. runner-up in "Princess Bassett" pageant 9; Chemistry Award 11; Nominated for Distinguished High School Students of America; Homecoming Rep. 10; SCA 10,11; Class Secretary 9; Latin Club 8,9; "Typical Senior".

CHARLES EDWARD LEMONS

Band 8; Firefighters 10; Track 10; 4-H Club 11,12; Jr. Deputy Sheriff 11,12; Won Trip to National Citizenship Shortcourse in Washington; "Most Courteous".

RONALD LEE LEMONS

Basketball 8.

ROY CLINARD LEMONS

Basketball 8; J.V. Basketball 9,10; Science Club 8,9, 10,11; Key Club 12; Firefighter 10,11,12; Won General Division of Science in Science Fair 10.

SARAH LEIGH LIPFORD

SCA 8,9,10,12; J.V. Cheerleader 8,9; Varsity Cheerleader, 10,11,12, Captain 12; Drama Society 8,9,10,11; Pep Club 11; Homecoming Rep. 8; "Most Ideal Girl" 9; Class Treasurer 9,11,12; Beta Club 11; National Honor Society 12; Homecoming Court 12; Monogram Club 11,12; Secretary 12; Received National Science Foundation Scholarship for biology study in Puerto Rico 11; Candystriper 10; State Latin Tournament 8; "Most Likely to Succeed"; Nominated for "Distinguished High School Students".

BETTY DELOIS MARTIN

Transfer from Carver High School; Spanish Club 8; Library Club 8; New Homemakers of America; Future Business Leaders 10, Vice-President 11; National Honor Society 11; Class President 8.

DANNY LANE MARTIN

Beta Club 11; Science Club 8,9,10,11; Firefighters 8; Jr. Deputy 11; D.E. Club 12, Historian 12; Annual Staff Photographer 12; 4-H Club 11.

DARRELL DEAN MARTIN

Basketball 8; J.V. Basketball 10; Varsity Basketball 11,12; Varsity Football 12; Key Club 11,12; Science Club 9,10,11, Vice-President 11; Pep Club 11; Firefighters 11,12; "Typical Senior".

JANICE ELAINE MARTIN

Band 8,9,10,11,12; FHA 9,10,11,12, Historian 11, President 12; Drama Society 9; All County Band 10.

LINDA PLOTT MARTIN

Chorus 9,10,11; All State Chorus 10; FTA 9,10,11; Intramural Basketball 9,10; "Most Athletic Senior Girl".

CLIFTON ROY MAYES

ICT Club 11,12; President 12; District Winner in Current Events 11; Attended State Convention 11.

CLARA MAE MEEKS

Transferred from East Surry High School; Band 9; 4-H Club 9,10; Girls' Basketball Team 9; D.E. 12.

DANA MILES

Transferred from Appling County High School; Science Club 8,9; Math Club, President 8; SCA 9; Beta Club 11; National Honor Society 12.

MARTHA ELAINE MILLS

Homeroom President 9; Drama Society 9,10; 1st. Runner-Up Princess Bassett Pageant 9; "Best Personality" 12; Chorus 9,10,11.

HAZEL JEAN MINTER

Chorus 11; D.E. 12; Girls Intramural Basketball 8.

SARAH COOPER MITCHELL

Class Secretary 8; Drama Society 8,9,10,11; J.V. Cheerleader 8,9,10, Captain 10; Poetry Forensics Winner 10; Annual Staff, Co-Sports Editor 10, Typist 11, Feature Editor, 12; Pep Club 11; SCA Fund-Raising Committee 11; Varsity Cheerleader 11,12, Treasurer 11,12; Beta Club 11; National Honor Society 12; Monogram Club 12; "Most Popular" 12; SCA Monitor 12; Homecoming Court 12.

VIRGINIA JOANNE MOZICK

Drama Society 9,10,11; Majorette 11, Head Majorette 12; Beta Club 11; National Honor Society, Treasurer 12; Annual Staff, Typist 11; SCA Council 11,12; "Friendliest" 12.

STEVE ESTIL NELSON

BRENDA LOUISE NORMAN

FHA 9,10,11,12; Beta Club 11.

Senior Statistics

RAYMOND MAITLAND ODUM

J.V. Football 8,9; Varsity Baseball 9,10; Varsity Football 10,11,12; Basketball 8; Track 11,12; ICT 11, 12; Firefighters 10,11,12; Second All-County End 11; Monogram Club 10,11,12.

NAOMI LERA PANNELL

Transferred from George Washington Carver; Reading Club 8; Math and Science Fair 8,9, Third Place 9; NHA 10; FBLA 10,11.

FLORENCE GAYLENE PARR

Beta Club 11; Drama Society 9,10; FHA 10; "Most Bashful" 12.

BARBARA ANN PAULEY

THURMAN RUTH PRESTON

Transferred from Carver High; NFA 1959-63, President; 4-H Club; Keep Va. Clean Crew; Camera Club.

JUDITH EMILY PARK

Ideal Girl Representative, 1st. Runner-Up 8; J.V. Cheerleader 8,9; Class President 9; 2nd Runner-Up Miss Bassett Pageant 10; Drama Society 8,9,10,11; SCA 8,9,10,11,12; Annual 10,11,12, Sports Editor 10, Business Manager 12; Varsity Cheerleader 10,11,12, Secretary 10; Pep Club 11,12; Monogram Club 11,12; Beta Club Vice-President 11; National Honor Society 12; Homecoming Court 12; Correspondent to Henry County Journal 12; Attended Cooperative - College Summer School Program in Biology at Wake Forest; Nominee For Distinguished High School Students of America; Evaluation Committee Guide.

LARRY NEAL PEAK

Basketball 8; Track 11,12; Second Place in Prose Contest 11; Junior Deputy 11,12.

GLENN FORD PHILLIPS

Beta Club 11.

ALBERT LEE PHILPOTT, JR.

Class President 8; Drama Society 8,9,10,11; Science Club 9,10; J.V. Football 10; Varsity Football 11,12; All County Football Team 12; All District Football 12; Homecoming Knight 12; Firefighters 12; Key Club 11, 12, Vice-President 12; Monogram Club 11,12, Vice-President; Golf Team 9,10,11,12; Track Team 11; Class Sergeant-at-Arms 11; SCA 9,10,11,12; Junior Deputy 10,11,12; Beta Club 11; National Honor Society 12; Most Improved Player in Football 12; Boys' State Representative, 1965.

ALICE ANN PRILLAMAN

Library Club 9,10; FHA 9,10,11,12; Vice-President 11; FHA Historian 10; Class Secretary 12.

LARRY EDWARD PRILLAMAN

SCA 9; Beta Club 11; Track 11.

PATRICK GERALD PUCKETT

ICT 11,12, District Treasurer 12; Track 10; Firefighters 10.

FAYE JONES RAKES

Intramural Basketball 8,9; Library Club 8,9; FHA 9; Chorus 9,10; Drama Society 10,11; Candystriper 11; GAA 10,11; Pep Club 11; Runner-Up IDEAL GIRL contest 11.

JAMES ALVIN RAKES

Firefighters 12.

THOMAS ANDREW RAKESTRAW

Boys' State Rep. 11; "Most Bashful" 12.

LINDA EDWARDS RATLIFF

ICT, Treasurer 12.

BETTY ANN RHODES

Drama Society 8,9,10,11; Annual Staff, Sports Editor 12; Class Vice-President 9; Homeroom President 10, 11; Beta Club 11; National Honor Society, President 12; Homecoming Court 12; Class Secretary 11; Best All Around 12; SCA Monitor 12.

SANDRA KAYE ROBERSON

MALVERN DANNY ROBERTSON

Varsity Football 11,12; J.V. Football 10; Track 10,11, 12; Monogram Club 12; All-County End 12; 2nd. Team All-District 12; Firefighters 12.

CARL STEVEN ROSE

RETTA YEVON SABOW

Transfer from Drewry Mason. Drama Society 11; Pep Club 11; Beta Club 11; Chorus 11,12; Varsity Cheerleader 12; Monogram Club 12; All-State Chorus 12; Annual Faculty Editor 12; SCA 12.

RONALD LEE SALMONS

J.V. Football 10; Track 10,11,12; Varsity Football 11, 12; Monogram Club 11,12; Pep Club 11.

CLIFFORD TRUMAN SAUL

Keep Virginia Green 11; DECA Club 12; Science Club 8,9; Junior Deputy 11; 4-H 11.

LUCY ANNE SCOGGIN

Homeroom President 8,9; Drama Society 8,9,10,11, Secretary 11; SCA 8,9,10,11,12; Annual Staff 10,11,12, Sports Editor 11, Editor-in-chief of '66 Timber Tints 12; SIPA Convention 11; Pep Club 11; Beta Club 11; National Honor Society 12; Girls' State Rep. 11; Evaluation Guide 11; SCA Monitor 12; Latin Club 8,9; "Biggest Flirt".

Senior Statistics

PHALA MAUDE SCOTT

Chorus 10,11; Girls Ensemble 11.

SANDRA JEAN SEBASTIAN

FHA Club 9; Library Club, Historian 10, Reporter 11; Beta Club 11, Prose Reading Contest 11; D.E. Club 12.

TIMOTHY ALLEN SETLIFF

Science Club 8,9; Drama Society 10,11,12; SCA 12; D.E. Treasurer 12; 2nd Place Poetry Contest 11; Band 8; FTA 8; Keep Virginia Green Club 12; Pep Club 11; Junior Deputy 11; 4-H Club 11.

BRENDA KAY SHEPPARD

FHA Club 9,10,11,12; Treasurer 11, Secretary 12; GAA 9.

TIM WAYNE SHIVELY

Varsity Football 9,10,11,12; All County 12, All District 12; Monogram Club; Track; SCA; "Biggest Flirt".

RODNEY ALLEN SMITH

8th Grade Basketball; J.V. Basketball 9,10; J.V. Football 10; Varsity Football 11,12; Track 11,12; Beta Club 11; Key Club 11,12; Key Club Convention 11,12; Science Club 9,10,11; Drama Society 9,10,11; Firefighters 10,11,12; Class President 10,11,12; SCA 10, 11,12; Golf 12; "Most Mischievous".

TOMMY WALLACE SMITH

Basketball 8; J.V. Football 9,10.

JACKINETTE YVONNE SPENCER

GAA 10; Drama Society 9; FHA 9,10,11,12, Historian 11, Vice-President 12; Band 9,10,11,12; Outstanding FHA Member 10.

RICHARD ADAM SPENCER

MARY CORNELIA STANLEY

Transferred from George Washington Carver High School; Craft Club 8,9; Student Service Organization 10,11; FBLA 10,11; Student Participation Organization 11.

RHOENA MAXINE STONE

FHA 10,11; GAA 9,10,11; ICT 12.

RICHARD CLAYTON STOUT

J.V. Basketball 8,9; Keep Virginia Green Club 11,12; ICT 11; 4-H 11,12.

JOYCE ANN TERRY

Beta 11; National Honor Society 12; ICT (Club Secretary) 12.

TERESA CLAIR TRANTHAM

Dramatics Club 10,11; J.V. Cheerleader 10; Varsity Cheerleader 11,12; Pep Club 10,11; Monogram Club 12; Homecoming Queen 12; Variety Show 9,10; Cheer Club 11; Monitor 12; "Most Talented" 12; SCA 9,10, 11,12; Homeroom Chaplain 9.

JANET SUE TURNER

Treasurer of 8th grade class; SCA 8,9,10,12; Homecoming Attendant 11; Homecoming Maid of Honor 12; Chorus 9,10,11; Chorus 9,10,11, Girls Ensemble 11; Annual Staff 11; Homeroom President 9,10,12.

JETTIE RUTH TURNER

Girls Intramural Basketball 8,9; Beta Club 11,12; National Honor Society 12.

CLIFFORD HAROLD VIA

Future Teachers of America 8,9; SCA 8,9; Pep Club 11; Vice President of Spanish Club 11; Beta Club 11; Jr. Deputy 11; National Honor Society 12; Firefighters 12; Key Club 12; President of SCA.

BRIDUS GLENN VOSS

Debating Club 11; Pep Club 11; Jr. Deputy 11,12.

MADELINE LOUISE WASHBURN

Beta Club 11; National Honor Society 12.

LINDA DARNELL WATKINS

Intramural Basketball 8,9; Beta Club 11.

LILLIE DELILAH WHISNANT

Transferred from Blacksburg High; FHA 9,10,11; French Club 10; Candystriper 11.

FRANCES IRENE WILLARD

Transferred from Hillsville High; Beta Club 11; Tri-Hi-Y 9,10,11.

BONNIE MARIE WILLIAMS

Chorus 10.

ELBY LEON WILLIS

RICHARD KENT WOOD

Pep Club 11; Varsity Basketball 11,12; Varsity Football 11,12; Track Team 11,12; Baseball 10.

LONNIE RAY WOODALL

DARLENE EDNA WRIGHT

Beta Club 11; National Honor Society 12; Varsity Cheerleader 11,12; J.V. Cheerleader 9,10; Drama Society 8,9,10,11; Pep Club 11.

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